

# National Thrift Week Begins Today

## CITY TREASURER ROURKE TO RESIGN

### CAMP FIRE AND REUNION BY DIS- ABLED VETERANS OF WORLD WAR

Veterans Install Officers With Mayor  
Donovan as Guest—State Treasurer  
of the D. A. V. of W. W. Was the  
Installing Officer—Farewell Speech  
by Retiring Commander Who Was  
Presented Gold Watch Appropri-  
ately Engraved

Some of them were over in the  
Toul sector with the First American  
division; others went forward at Cha-  
teau Thierry with the old-beloved  
"Twenty-sixth," still more fought on  
that memorably battle line only four-  
teen miles away from Paris in the  
frightful snow-cold winter of 1918;  
others saw horrors unmentionable and  
waded through bloody moraines at the  
Champagne-Marne and before Verdun  
the redoubtable, and some of them who  
went through the fires of hell and  
returned disabled and torn but with  
memories poignant, satiated the Amer-  
ican colors in Memorial Hall last  
evening when Lowell Chapter No. 6,  
Disabled American Veterans of the  
World War, at a well attended and en-  
thusiastic camp fire and reunion, in-  
stalled officers for the New Year.

### PERPETUAL CARE OF LOTS

City Treasurer's Annual Re-  
port Shows Big Increase in  
Special Funds

The outstanding feature of the an-  
nual report of the city treasurer in re-  
lation to special funds for the perpetu-  
al care of lots in public burying  
grounds, is the \$10,000 growth experi-  
enced by the fund during the year,  
1922.

There was on hand on Jan. 1, 1922,  
\$162,215 and on Dec. 31 the fund had  
grown to \$162,165, represented by mon-  
ey received during the 12 months from  
121 individual lot owners. This mon-  
ey is now invested in local banks, as  
follows:

Five Cent Savings Bank	\$17,125
Central Savings	16,700
Merrimack River	17,060
Mechanics	16,100
City Institution	23,625
Lowell Savings	16,425
Washington	16,775
Middlesex Safe Deposit	24,865
Old Lowell (Savings dept.)	13,780

Associate hall, Miner-Doyle's, tonight.

### BANG AWAY! KEEP IT UP!

If you have opened a Sav-  
ings Account with us, don't  
neglect it.

Deposit a little bit every  
week.

You know, this bank is open  
Saturday evenings.

You also know it is the old-  
est bank in Lowell and is  
under the supervision of the  
United States Government.

Old Lowell  
National Bank



RALPH A. DODGE  
Mayor

abled ranks, presided at the opening  
ceremonies.

Mayor Donovan met with a rousing  
reception upon his formal entrance un-  
der military escort; the installation  
ceremonies were carried out splendidly  
with due solemnity and patriotic fer-  
vor, and after the formal speech-mak-  
ing.

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### BON MARCHE DANCE IN AUDITORIUM

The sixteenth annual dance of the  
Employees' Mutual Benefit association of  
the Bon Marche will be held in the  
Memorial Auditorium tonight, and as  
this party is recognized as one of the  
real social functions of the year, it is  
a certainty that a large crowd will  
be on hand. Dancing will begin at  
8:15 and continue until midnight.

Associate hall, Miner-Doyle's, tonight.

### Are You Among These?

Over 79,500 Bank  
Books are held by the  
people of Lowell to-  
day showing the  
amounts of their sav-  
ings in Six Mutual  
Savings Banks here.

Open An  
Account  
Today

Merrimack River Savings Bank  
226 Central Street

Washington Savings Institution  
40 Middlesex Street

Central Savings Bank  
58 Central Street

Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank  
107 Merrimack Street

Lowell Institution for Savings  
18 Shattuck Street

Mechanics Savings Bank  
204 Merrimack Street

Total Resources Over Forty  
Million Dollars

## Report Four Ruhr Industrial Leaders Who Refused to Obey French Orders Arrested

### What Saving Money Does

Lowell citizens who haven't yet tried the sport of putting  
away small regular savings in Lowell banking institutions, with  
prospects of becoming financially independent some day, will be  
interested in reading the figures below showing the easy route to  
prosperity. The figures are based on the condition that a set  
amount of money be deposited in a bank each week or month,  
drawing 4 per cent interest compounded twice a year.

By depositing—	In 1 year you will have	In 3 years you will have	In 5 years you will have
\$1 a week	\$53.07	\$165.71	\$287.65
2 a week	105.97	330.37	574.31
3 a week	158.94	496.32	861.52
4 a week	211.92	661.78	1,148.72
5 a week	264.92	827.26	1,435.96
6 a week	317.90	992.70	1,723.14
7 a week	370.88	1,158.16	2,010.33
8 a week	423.86	1,323.58	2,296.42
9 a week	476.84	1,488.77	2,577.93
10 a week	529.84	1,654.50	2,872.00

By depositing—	In 10 years you will have	In 20 years you will have	In 30 years you will have
\$15 a month	\$2,212.04	\$5,499.06	\$10,417.05
20 a month	2,949.52	7,332.24	13,544.80
25 a month	3,686.91	9,097.91	17,206.30
40 a month	6,035.18	16,495.08	31,147.46

## THRIFT CLUBS IN LOCAL BANKS TEACH VALUE OF SAVING

Lowell is Enjoying a Practical Demon-  
stration of the Value of Thrift—  
Increase in Thrift Club Membership  
in 1922—Slogan is to Save Something  
No Matter How Small

Four Lowell banking institutions  
this year will plant the germ of  
thrift and inculcate the will to  
save in the minds of upwards of  
11,200 men, women and children  
of the city, representing the mem-  
bership of Thrift, Christmas and Sav-  
ings clubs, now an established part  
of bank activities locally.

Last year there were enrolled in  
such clubs in the Middlesex Safe De-  
posit bank, the Mechanics Savings  
Bank and the City Institution for  
Savings, approximately 3,000 mem-  
bers and enrollment to date for 1923  
in the same clubs shows an increase  
of nearly 40 per cent.

The banks which now operate this  
type of savings club do not claim  
that the total membership involved  
represents new "savings" but they do  
claim that the clubs have had a  
sharp tendency to foster a spirit of  
thrift and greatly increase the num-  
ber of permanent savings accounts.

Leading the list this year, as well  
as in 1922, in the matter of mem-  
bership is the Thrift club at the  
Middlesex Safe Deposit and Trust  
Co., where there is an enrollment of

## PROHIBITION AUTHORITIES IN NEW DRIVE TO HALT LIQUOR TRAFFIC

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17. (By the  
Associated Press.)—Drastic enforcem-  
ent of dealings in denatured and  
industrial alcohol has been decided  
upon by federal prohibition author-  
ities as the next step in their cam-  
paign to combat the illicit liquor  
traffic. Orders have been issued for  
the revocation of scores of dealers'  
licenses, among these being that is-  
sued to one of the largest alcohol  
producing plants in the country.

Decision to withdraw the license of  
the plant and to refuse to renew  
licenses for which applications were  
pending, was reached at a confer-  
ence of prohibition enforcement offi-  
cials attended by Acting Commis-  
sioner Jones, Acting Director Yellow-  
ley and several heads of the prin-  
cipal bureaus at headquarters here.

It is understood that reports  
submitted by Mr. Yellowley of his  
investigation into the sources of  
Christmas Eve liquor had much to do  
with the order.

Mr. Yellowley is known to have  
secured evidence which convinced  
him that the great bulk of this sup-

## TAKE ORDERS FROM BERLIN

German Magnates Fail to  
Answer Summons to Ap-  
pear Before Commission

French Ultimatum Expires  
Today—Germans to Go to  
Jail Rather Than Submit

LONDON, Jan. 17.—A Reuter's de-  
spatch from Essen, filed Tuesday,  
says that according to reports from  
German sources, four of the Ruhr  
industrial leaders, including Herr  
Thyssen, were told by the French au-  
thorities at Dusseldorf to consider  
themselves under arrest after the  
magnates had reiterated that they  
would only obey orders from Berlin.

Refuse to Obey French  
DUESSELDORF, Jan. 17. (By the  
Associated Press.)—Representative  
of the German magnates failed to  
appear this morning before the con-  
trol commission, sending word they  
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## FRED ROURKE TO RESIGN

City Treasurer Says Position  
Interferes With His Busi-  
ness Affairs

Fred H. Rourke intends to resign  
as city treasurer and collector of  
taxes for Lowell this year, due to  
an inability to properly conduct his  
private business affairs, with so  
much of his time demanded by the  
city position. Just when his resigna-  
tion will be presented is a matter  
of conjecture, but he does not wish  
to embarrass the city in the slight-  
est degree and will not take a  
step until after the 1923 commit-  
ment of taxes has been made to him.  
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## IMPORTANT MEETINGS HERE TOMORROW

Two conferences of vital importance  
to the city will be held at city hall  
tomorrow afternoon, one, on the mat-  
ter of considering the proposition to  
install a new fire alarm signal system  
and the other, relative to the employ-  
ment of labor by city departments ac-  
cording to civil service rules and regu-  
lations.

The civil service conference comes  
first, at 2:30 o'clock, when Frank E.  
O'Neill, director of the civil service  
labor bureau, will meet with the may-  
or and heads of departments who hire  
laborers in considerable numbers. Upon  
the deliberations and results of this  
conference hangs the fate of 272 pay-  
ees of laborers held up since last year. If  
a satisfactory agreement is arrived at,  
it is believed the civil service commis-  
sioner will order those payees released.  
As it is understood he wants only de-  
finite assurance that the 1923 govern-  
ment will live up to the letter of the  
law in the matter of employing labor-  
ers before so doing, an already  
Director O'Neill is coming to the city

## Beauty Week

Bromley-Shepard, Inc.

Come in and consult Mlle.  
Lucille, specialist from Mme.  
Rubinstein's New York Beauty  
Salon. She will prescribe the  
right kind of treatment for  
your skin.

Ask her advice on home  
treatments.

Open Saturday Afternoon and  
Evening

35 PAIGE ST.  
Lowell, Mass. Tel. 2623

## FOUR IMPORTANT ORDINANCES SUBMITTED TO COUNCIL BY SPECIAL COMMITTEE

Recommendations for Retention of  
Public Service Board and Budget  
and Audit Commission, With Greater  
Powers for Latter—Mayor Names  
Dennis J. Murphy for Three-Year  
Man on Board of Public Service But  
Nomination is Tabled on Suggestion  
of Councilor Daly.

Recommendations of ordinances  
calling for the retention of the board  
of public service and the budget and  
audit commission, with enlarged pow-  
ers, the creation of a planning board  
and the establishment of the salary  
of the mayor at \$5000 per year under  
Plan B form of charter were submit-  
ted to the city council last night by  
a special committee on ordinances and  
were ordered advertised without much  
discussion.

Mayor John J. Donovan nominated  
Dennis J. Murphy, present chairman  
of the public service board, for re-  
appointment for a three-year term.

## OBSERVANCE OF FRANKLIN'S BIRTH- DAY AND THRIFT WEEK

Week When Value of Saving Toward  
Financial Independence is Empha-  
sized Annually Starts on January 17,  
the Birthday of Franklin Who Ad-  
vised Young Men to Save and  
Become Respectable and Respected

Benjamin Franklin, old-time printer  
and inventor of thrift, would be 217  
years old today if he had been a mem-  
ber of the Methuselah family.

And today, all over America and even  
abroad where the name and fame of  
Franklin are also placed high in halls  
of fame and remembrance, the birth-  
day of the great American citizen who  
how to live, save, invest and be happy,  
is being celebrated in numerous ways  
in business places, homes, professional  
institutions, public schools, colleges  
and nurseries of learning among other  
centers of human endeavor.

In Lowell the observance of the  
Franklin birthday is being made with  
out ostentation, but in the public  
schools there were references made by  
instructors to the noted American's  
natal anniversary, and in some cases  
special exercises by children also in  
remembrance.

At the request of Mayor John J. Dono-  
van and upon the direction of Commis-  
sioner Dalton Dana.

The conference on the matter of a  
new fire alarm system is set for 4:30  
o'clock, also in the mayor's reception  
room and will be attended by the  
mayor, members of the city council,  
the chief of the fire department and  
representatives of the National Asso-  
ciation of Fire Underwriters and the  
Lowell Fire Alarm Signal Co. of  
Newton.

Although it will cost the city in the  
vicinity of \$200,000 to install a mod-  
ern alarm system, it is necessary will  
be urged by the fire department chief  
as well as by the fire underwriters and  
the Gamewell Co.

A recent garage fire in Chelmsford  
attract, for which the alarm turned in  
failed to sound, brought an already  
vexing situation to a head.

N. Y. AND BOSTON CLEARINGS

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Exchanges,  
\$748,000,000; balances, \$76,000,000.

BOSTON, Jan. 17.—Exchanges, \$76-  
000,000; balances, \$24,000,000.

## TONIGHT AT KASINO

—Wamesit Lodge, No. 25—  
Knights of Pythias' Mammoth Carnival

Big Midway—See the Mysterious Hand

CAMPBELL'S ORCHESTRA : : SADIE SHEEHAN, Soloist

Specialties by pupils of Miss Perrin's Dancing Academy

ADMISSION

Peggy O'Reilly in The Sheik, Buck and Wing Dance and  
Pat Rooney's Step Dance

35c

**\$35,000 Loss in Medfield Fire**

MEDFIELD, Jan. 17.—The town building which contained the town hall, police station, fire headquarters and American Legion and Red Cross rooms, was badly damaged by fire today. The loss was estimated at \$35,000. Several firemen and volunteers were overcome by smoke. The fire started in the attic near a chimney. After a four-hour struggle the firemen succeeded in bringing the flames under control. The building was a two-story wooden structure.

**Pres. Harding Ordered to Remain in Bed**

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—President Harding cancelled all of his engagements today in order to remain in bed on account of an attack of grippe. It was said at the White House that the day of rest was decided on merely as a precautionary measure and that the president's condition showed no serious developments.

**MERRIMACK** THURSDAY, FRIDAY and SATURDAY

**Thomas Meighan**  
in **GEORGE ADE'S**

**"BACK HOME AND BROKE"**  
A Paramount Picture



To roll back to the old "home town" some day in a limousine—that's the ambition of every boy who leaves home. George Ade has put this idea into his funniest and most human story.

Feature No. 2

**"ON THE HIGH SEAS"**

**DOROTHY DALTON and JACK HOLY**  
Supported by MITCHELL LEWIS



**PACKED WITH ADVENTURE IN STORM AND SHIPWRECK**

A love melodrama of the sea

**WHERE Paramount Pictures DOMINATE**



**AUTO SHOW**

**Kasino**

Jan. 22 to 27 inclusive

Admission 25c

**GET RID OF YOUR FAT**

Thousands of others have gotten rid of theirs by my simple and efficient method of fat reduction, often at a very rapid rate, and **WITHOUT PAYMENT** until reduction has taken place.

I am a licensed practicing physician and have made a careful study of the physiological requirements of the human body. This has enabled me to select such medicinal ingredients and in such proportion as in my opinion should produce a loss of weight, improvement in health and with it an alleviation of all of the troublesome symptoms which frequently accompany and often are a direct result of overweight, such as shortness of breath on slight exertion, palpitation of the heart, etc., not to speak of the relief from the embarrassment of being too stout. All cases are under my supervision. My treatment will relieve that depressed, tired, sleepy feeling, giving you the renewed energy and vigor which come as a result of the loss of your superfluous fat.

If you are overweight do not postpone but sit down right now and send for my **FREE TRIAL TREATMENT** and my plan whereby I am to be **PAID ONLY AFTER REDUCTION HAS TAKEN PLACE** if you so desire.

**DR. R. NEWMAN**, Licensed Physician State of New York  
286 Fifth Avenue, New York, N. Y. Desk M941

**WINS ON THIRD TRIAL**

Lady Elizabeth Says "Yes"

After Duke of York Popped

Question Three Times

LONDON, Jan. 17.—(By the Associated Press.)—Everybody in London from the cookery to the most aristocratic aristocrat was 100 per cent. agog yesterday over the announcement of the Duke of York's engagement. People talked of it everywhere, in subways, in street buses, in their homes and in the most gossip of all places, the ubiquitous tea room. Here are some of the things regarding Prince Albert's engagement to



The engagement of the Duke of York, second son of King George and Queen Mary, to Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon, youngest daughter of the Earl and Countess of Strathmore, has been officially announced. Above are shown the duke and his fiancée.

Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon, daughter in the Earl of Strathmore, one saw in the papers yesterday.

The Duke of York popped the question three times before he succeeded in getting "yes" for an answer—the first time he proposed at a dance after Princess Mary's wedding; the second, while golfing last September, and thirdly, last Sunday when he was the weekend guest at the Hertfordshire home of the earl.

It is said that after turning down the proffer, Lady Elizabeth received a letter from the queen, saying she was perfectly right not to marry the duke unless she loved him.

Perhaps the young duke was surprised by being accepted on Sunday, as he had not brought the engagement ring.

"So far as I know," said Lady Elizabeth's father yesterday, "the ring has not even been purchased, the prince did not bring one in his pocket."

On Monday Prince Albert hurried to Sandringham to get his parents' approval, and his successful accomplishment of this was announced an hour later in the court circular. Yesterday he and Lady Elizabeth and her mother lunched at the Strathmore town house.

**MR. GIAGIAS HONORED**

Lowell Man Receives Telegram From Prince and Princess

Not every Lowell man can proudly exhibit a personal telegram from members of royalty. Nicholas Giagias, tobacco merchant at 82 Bridge street, can, nevertheless, and Nicholas held a solemn jubilee celebration today with many Greek-speaking citizens of Lowell calling in groups, curiously anxious to learn the very important telegram and learn all about it.

When Nicholas isn't nestling the valuable little yellow sheet close to his manly bosom and handing out his best cigars at the same time, he will let you read it, if you will be careful and not wrinkle it up when you take the precious document that is going to be framed some time when Nicholas has that next house party for a Lowell newspaperman and his family.

Here is the telegram bona fide and everything—that came over the Western Union from New York, last night: "Nicholas Giagias,

"82 Bridge St., Lowell, Mass. "Evharistia ek vathous kardias." (Signed) "CHRISTOPHOROS ANASTASIAS"

Which, being duly translated by Nicholas, means:

"Thank you from the depth of our hearts." Mr. Giagias' telegram from Prince Christopher and the Princess Anastasia, as we Yanks write it in Americanese, was a courteous reply to a telegram of condolence from the tobacco merchant, sent to the prince and princess who are stopping at Hotel Amsterdam, New York city, in royal suite No. 4, and Fifth avenue traplans to make it complete. The telegram was as follows:

"Please accept the sympathy of the Greek-speaking citizens of Lowell in the death of your brother, King Constantine, one of the greatest Greek rulers in the new history of Greece."

**Take Orders From Berlin**

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and decided to obey the instructions of the Berlin government. Instead of the French orders as to coal deliveries, they placed the next move squarely up to the French occupying authorities.

The ultimatum delivered to the industrial leaders yesterday, directing them to resume coal deliveries, under heavy penalties for failure, expires at 4 p.m. No action will be taken by the French. It is stated, until the full 24 hours from the delivery of the ultimatum, 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, has elapsed.

To Ignore Ultimatum

DUESSELDORF, Jan. 17.—(By the Associated Press.)—Ruhr valley coal operators had before them today the French ultimatum that it delivers were not resumed this morning "the authorities would take such measures as were deemed necessary."

The attitude of the German operators, however, seemed to be optimistic in a remark made by Herr Thomas, representative of the Stinnes interests at Gelsenkirchen. He said: "We are perfectly willing to go to jail, but under no condition shall we resume deliveries."

So far as was indicated in advices reaching this city this morning, not a chunk of reparations coal or coke was being sent to France or Belgium by

any of the Ruhr mines. It was reported that in some instances shipments intended for South Germany were being diverted westward by the occupation authorities. It was said that deliveries to Italy were continuing.

At the conference here yesterday between the French authorities and the operators, General Simon said to the Germans: "We have not summoned you here for a discussion, but to transmit to you the orders of our government. If you do not see fit to obey them you will be prosecuted before a court-martial, condemned and imprisoned."

The industrial leaders fled out of the room without uttering a word, but once outside of the conference hall they made no secret of their determination to go to jail rather than submit.

Thirty-two labor leaders, representing all the districts and all the trades in the Ruhr including the Catholic socialists and communists syndicates of miners, railroad men and steel and iron workers, were introduced. Dr. Groelzner, Prussian governor of Duesseldorf province, acted as their spokesman.

General Simon told the labor leaders France was the friend of the workingman. The German government, he declared, was responsible for

the recent events and was willing to sacrifice the workingmen to its imperialistic policy. It had permitted the food stocks to become depleted and cared little whether its own nationals starved or not.

Await New Penalties

ESSEN, Jan. 17.—(By the Associated Press.)—Directors of German coal mines, having reluctantly "that they would abide by the order of the federal coal commissioner to deliver no more fuel on the reparations account, were apparently awaiting early today to see what the next of the threatened French penalties would be.

It was suggested at French headquarters that the mine owners or their representatives might either be arrested or subjected to heavy fines.

Other penalties said to be in prospect were the occupation of further territory and possibly the confiscation of the mine properties and seizure of the records.

The suggestion was made here today that the coal commissioners' orders might be followed by instructions from Berlin forbidding the railway officials to load or transport reparations coal.

Clashes in Dortmund

DORTMUND, Jan. 17.—(By the Associated Press.)—Demonstrations by nationalists in the streets of Dortmund late last evening caused clashes

with communistic labor elements, but French forces did not intervene. The French have reinforced the troops of occupation here, as further trouble is expected this evening. The nationalists intend to hold a secret parade, which Gen. Rampon, the French commander, has forbidden.

**LUCKY STRIKE**  
CIGARETTE  
It's toasted  
**12's**

**KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS' CARNIVAL**  
At the Kasino  
Jan. 15 to 20

**The Bon Marche**  
CRY GOODS CO.

**KITCHEN TOWELS**  
Crash Kitchen towels, with blue and red borders, with loop to hang, size 16x33; no phone or C.O.D. orders; regular price 1c. Thursday A. M. 2 for 25c Street Floor

**3 1/2 Hour THURSDAY SPECIALS 3 1/2 Hour****DRUG AND TOILET GOODS SHOP**

Street Floor

C. H. HOLLAND, Reg. Pharm. Mgr.

**THURSDAY A. M. SPECIALS**

- 39c Prophylactic Tooth Brushes... 33c
- 25c Pompeian Lip Stick, for chapped lips... 19c
- 39c Hand and Nail Brushes... 25c
- 25c Torpedo Bath Soap, rose, lavender and verveine... 3 for 60c
- 25c Lysol Ideal Antiseptic... 19c
- 15c 1-lb. pkg. Epsom Salts... 2 for 25c
- 96c Beef, Iron and Wine, U.S.P., 16-oz. bottle... 89c

**SHEETS**

- \$1x90 bleached sheets, good, heavy quality, 15 dozen only at this special price; two to a customer; no phone orders or C.O.D.; regular price \$1.49. Thursday A. M. \$1.09

Street Floor

**VELOUR AND TAILORED HATS**

- In gray, red, brown, black, blue and sand; worth \$8.50 to \$12.50. Thursday A. M. \$3.85

Second Floor

**ALL-OVER LACES**

- Black, blue and brown; regular price \$2.98. Thursday A. M., Yard, \$1.50

Street Floor

**SILVERWARE AND CUT GLASS SHOP**

Third Floor

- SALT AND PEPPER SHAKERS, glass tops, neatly cut; regular price 98c. Thursday A. M., Pair... 69c
- WATER SETS, 7 pieces, grape pattern, well cut; regular price \$1.98. Thursday A. M., Set... \$1.49
- TEA STRAINERS, regular price 50c. Thursday A. M., Each... 14c
- DINNER FORKS, nickel silver. Thursday A. M., each... 15c

**WOMEN'S SHOES**

- Queen Quality, black kid lace, French heels only, many good sizes in the lot; regular price \$8.00 to \$10.00. Thursday A. M. \$1.98

Street Floor

**BOYS' WOOL GLOVES**

- Small sizes; regular price 50c. Thursday A. M., Pair, 25c

Street Floor

**WOMEN'S SPORT HOSE**

- Ribbed fine mercerized list, camel's hair color; regular price 50c. Thursday A. M., Pair... 25c

Street Floor

**CHILDREN'S BEAVER HATS**

- And smart little girls' or misses' models, tailored styles; regular prices \$3.98 and \$5.00. Thursday A. M. 89c

Second Floor

**WALLPAPER SHOP**

Fifth Floor

- ROOM LOTS OF CHAMBER PAPERS, 6 to 14 rolls in a lot, all good patterns, but these are all we have left of each pattern, some with and without borders. Thursday A. M., One-half Regular Prices
- Bring your room measurements.
- FOR ALL ROOMS BUT CHAMBERS—Discontinued patterns; many excellent patterns. Thursday A. M., One-Half Regular Prices
- Bring your room measurements.
- WHITE ROOM MOULDINGS, 1 1/2 inch; regular price 4 1/2c. Thursday A. M., 3c Foot

**WOMEN'S NECKWEAR**

- Odd pieces of neckwear; regular price 50c. Thursday A. M. 10c

Street Floor

**DRAPERY SHOP**

Third Floor

- SUNFAST OVERDRAPE MATERIALS 36 to 50 inches wide.
- Regular price \$1.00. Thursday A. M., Yard... 50c
- Regular price \$2.00. Thursday A. M., Yard... \$1.00
- Regular price \$2.50. Thursday A. M., Yard... \$1.25
- Regular price \$3.00. Thursday A. M., Yard... \$1.49
- CRETONNES
- Regular price 40c. Thursday A. M., Yard... 35c

**WOMEN'S HANDKERCHIEFS**

- All linen; regular price 50c. Thursday A. M. 25c

Street Floor

**DROPSTITCH TRICOLETTE**

- Tubular, for blouses and scarfs, three pieces only at this special price; colors: Bluebird, gold and poppy. No phone or C.O.D. orders; regular price \$1.98. Thursday A. M., Yard, \$1.00

Street Floor

**SMALLWARE SHOP**

Street Floor

**THURSDAY A. M.**

- 10c card Safety Pins, all sizes... 8c
- Remnants of Skirt Belting... 2 for 5c
- 25c 10-yl. pec. 5-8 inch Twill Tape... 15c
- 15c to 25c Fancy Edgings, Piece... 10c
- 25c to 40c card Fancy Buttons... 5c
- 10c paper DeLong Pins... 7c
- \$1.00 Fancy Garters, assorted colors, Pair... 50c
- 50c yard Fancy Frill Elastic, yard, 29c

**RATINE**

- Yard wide plain ratine of good quality, in jade, tangerine, gray and two pieces of white; regular price 60c. Thursday A. M., Yard... 49c

Street Floor

**TRIMMED HATS**

- Of duvetyne, panne and Lyons velvets, also a few good matrons' hats; regular prices \$5.00, \$7.50 and \$10. Thursday A. M. \$2.00

Second Floor

**DUVETYN**

- Small lot silk faced duvetyne, 38-inch, colors: Canna, bluebird, coral, flame, jade, frenchia and taragon. No phone or C.O.D. orders; regular price \$2.98. Thursday A. M. \$1.98

Street Floor

**HOUSEWARES SHOP**

Basement Section

- ROLLING PINS, made of selected wood; regular price 25c. Thursday A. M., Each... 19c
- MIXING SPOONS, perforated hawl, wooden ware; regular price 19c. Thursday A. M., Each... 5c
- CRUMB SETS, nickel plated tray and scraper; regular prices 49c and 69c. Thursday A. M., Set... 35c
- ENAMELED SAUCEPANS, blue and white enamel, 6-quart size, enamel cover; regular price 98c. Thursday A. M. 59c

**MEN'S HOSE**

- Worsted merino, in camel's hair color only; regular price 59c. Thursday A. M., Pair... 25c

Street Floor

**MESH VEILINGS**

- Regular price 50c. Thursday A. M., Yard... 10c

Street Floor

**WOMEN'S PANTS**

- Ribbed cotton, fleece lined, closed and open, small sizes; regular price 50c. Thursday A. M., Pair, 15c, 2 Pairs 25c

Street Floor





## AMERICANS TO DIRECT RELIEF

Women From U. S. to Install Finance and Direct Huge Medical Quarantine Station

To Launch \$100,000 Project on Island of Macronisi, 30 Miles From Athens

Hope to Cope With Unprecedented Outbreak of Disease Among Refugees

ATHENS, Jan. 17. (By the Associated Press.)—American women will install, finance and direct the longest medical quarantine station in the world on the island of Macronisi, 30 miles south of Athens, in an effort to cope with the unprecedented outbreak of disease among near east refugees in Greece.

Dr. Mabel Elliott, director of the American Women's hospitals, today arranged with the Greek government to take over the entire island and equip

it with facilities for handling 10,000 refugees at one time. The island, 10 miles long and two miles wide, is now uninhabited, but Dr. Elliott plans to set up 2500 tents and the necessary disinfecting plants and soup kitchens. Because of the pressing emergency, Dr. Elliott has guaranteed to have the station in operation within six days. The director will be Dr. Olga Shinsky of Helena, Ark., who will have at her disposal a staff of 40 Greek doctors and nurses. The cost of the project is estimated at \$100,000, which will be entirely defrayed by the American Women's hospitals in addition to their other relief work.

Dr. Elliott was recently appointed general medical director of all American relief work in Greece and the islands. She practiced medicine at Detroit Harbor, Mich., before coming to Europe.

## SACO-LOWELL CUTS COMMON SHARES

Directors of the Saco-Lowell shops have unanimously declared a quarterly dividend of \$1.50 per share on the common shares of the company, payable Feb. 1 to stockholders of record on Jan. 20.

Expansion in output is said to be the main reason for this move toward conservatism in dividend outlays.

Some surprise was expressed in financial circles today following this cut in the common share dividend basis, following the recent declaration of a stock dividend of 50 per cent payable in 7 per cent second preferred stock.

The news of the directors' decision to cut the common share annual dividend rate down to the "six" basis, is not believed to have any particular

## QUART OF WATER A DAY HELPS KIDNEYS

When Back Hurts, or Bladder Bothers, Also Take a Little Salts

Bathing too much rich food may produce kidney trouble in some form, says a well-known authority, because the acids created excite the kidneys. Then they become overworked, get sluggish, clog up and cause all sorts of distress, particularly backache and misery in the kidney, region, rheumatic twinges, severe headaches, cold stomach, constipation, torpid liver, sleeplessness, bladder and urinary irritation.

The moment your back hurts, or kidneys aren't acting right, or if bladder bothers you, begin drinking lots of good water and also get about four ounces of Jol Salts from any good pharmacy; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys may then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for years to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to activity; also to neutralize the acids in the system so that they no longer irritate, thus often relieving bladder disorders.

Jol Salts cannot injure anyone; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which millions of men and women take now and then to help keep the kidneys and urinary organs clean and free from irritating acids. By a means have your physician examine your kidneys at least twice a year.

bearing upon present industrial conditions in the "Saco-Lowell chain," however, as southern business is constantly expanding, and all new departments in each district, opened within the past few months, together with the new foundry department in the local territory, are increasing output with orders received in ample size to please the executives of the prosperous industrial textile machine manufacturers.

The previous common share dividend rate up to the present year, was \$8 annually, and the stock was always in good demand among careful investors.

The Saco-Lowell southern division headquarters, with agents eternally seeking new business in various sections where new cotton mills are being erected is said to be engaged in busy activities from the Carolinas all down the territory now splendidly covered by the "S.L." hustlers looking for New Year orders.

## ROBERT PARKER MILES AT MEN'S CLUB

The Downtown Men's club of the First Congregational church held the third of a series of entertainments in the church auditorium last evening. In the absence of the Percy B. Thomas, President Otis Butler had charge of the meeting and after a short address, introduced Robert Parker Miles, formerly religious editor of the New York Evening Journal and a lecturer of wide repute.

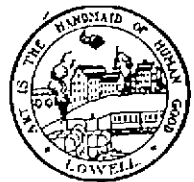
Speaking on his subject, "Tallow Tips," the speaker said that the little tip of the tongue is a very important part of the body. He then gave a series of character sketches, which proved highly interesting, touching upon Roosevelt, W. E. Gladstone, the great English statesman, and the mother of Dr. Nevill Dwight Mills, the renowned Brooklyn divine.

## GIRLS' CITY CLUB HEARS FROM STATE LEAGUE

The Girls' City club held a well attended meeting last night to hear of the work done by the Massachusetts League of Girls' clubs and to extend a welcome to Miss Mildred Guttererson, secretary of the league.

Miss Guttererson, in a short talk to the members, spoke of the banquet to be held by the league at the Hotel Westminster, January 27th, and extended an invitation to the Lowell club to send a large delegation as possible. She also invited them to attend a meeting to be held on the day after the banquet, January 28th, at the Agassiz house at Radcliffe college, Cambridge, to report the work done by the various vacation camps, especially the league's home at Rockport, Mass., and to make arrangements for the coming year.

The Massachusetts league comprises thirty-three Girls' clubs of Massachusetts, Vermont and Maine, and the Lowell club is one of the largest self-supporting clubs in the league.



Office of the Purchasing Agent  
Sealed bids will be received at the office of the purchasing agent for furnishing the following material until Saturday, Jan. 20, 1923, at 11 a. m.

Req. 6179. Chelmsford St. Hospital  
20 bags Cal. or Mich. beans.  
5 bags Inst. Coffee (ground)  
10 bags yellow eye beans  
10 lbs. butter.  
600 lbs. butterina.

Req. 6177. Dispensary—Charity Dept.  
Drugs as per requisition which may be seen at the office of the purchasing agent.

Req. 6178. Dispensary—Charity Dept.  
Drugs as per requisition which may be seen at the office of the purchasing agent.

The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to reject any or all bids.  
EDWARD J. DONNELLY,  
Purchasing Agent.  
Lowell, Mass., Jan. 16, 1923.

## Order Restored at Harrison, Ark.

HARRISON, Ark., Jan. 17.—Harrison today assumed its normal atmosphere after two days of excitement, the result of "armed action" by citizens gathered here from a radius of 150 miles in which one man was lynched, another wounded during a round-up of strikers, and more than 200 persons were forced to leave the community by a "committee of 1000." Further trouble was not expected to follow the "clean up" of persons believed to be guilty of or to have knowledge of bridge burnings and other depredations along the line of the Missouri & North Arkansas railroad which precipitated the demonstration.

## Rock Hill College Destroyed By Fire

BALTIMORE, Jan. 17.—Only the gray granite walls of Rock Hill college at Ellicott City, near here, remain standing today, as a result of a fire last night which destroyed the administration building and the college dormitory; three story structures. The loss was estimated at \$200,000. The fire was believed to have originated in a trunk room. Brother Pelician, president of the college, said that practically all of the personal belongings of the student body and faculty had been saved. This was to have been the last term of Rock Hill at Ellicott City as a new college is now under construction near Washington.

# Thursday Specials 8.30 A. M. to 12 Noon

## A. G. Pollard Co.

The Store for Thrifty People

## Blouses, Sweaters and Scarfs

Hand-made French Voile Blouses—Beautifully trimmed with Irish lace, square, round and V shape necks; regular \$7.95. Thursday Special \$2.95

A Small Lot of Satin Jaquettes and Hip Blouses—Colors seal, navy, black, jockey, white and flesh; regular \$4.95. Thursday Special \$1.95

Dimity, Lawn and Voile Blouses—Tailored and lace trimmed, wonderful values; regular \$2.95. Thursday Special 95c

French Voile Blouses—With lots of hand drawn work and fillet lace, square, round, ruffles and V shape necks; regular \$3.95. Thursday Special \$1.49

White Voile Blouses—Collar, cuffs and front trimmed with knife plaiting, turnover cuffs, sizes 36 and 38 only; regular \$1.95. Thursday Special 39c

Hat and Scarf Sets—All wool, in combination colors, extra good value; regular \$3.95. Thursday Special \$1.95

Slip-on Sweaters—Made of all wool and very good styles, block design, others in plain design; colors jockey, seal, navy, black, maroon and gray; regular \$2.95. Thursday Special \$1.49

Brushed Worsted Tuxedo Sweaters—Plain and combination colors, two pockets and extra long sash; regular \$5.95. Thursday Special \$3.95

Second Floor

## Rug and Drapery Section

Ruffled Curtains—Plain scrim, plain marquisette and dotted marquisette, all hemstitched band and tie-backs; regular prices \$1.00 to \$2.98 pair. Thursday Special 85c to \$2.25 Pair

Scrim, Marquisette and Fillet Net Dutch Curtains—Some plain and some lace edge (trimmed); regular prices 98c to \$2.98 pair. Thursday Special 75c to \$2.50 Pair

Double Bordered Scrim and Marquisette—Also crossbar for long and short curtains; regular price 35c yard. Thursday Special 25c Yard

Odd Pairs of Portieres—Used for samples, slightly soiled. Thursday Special 25% Off

Remnants of Scrim, Marquisette—In plain and fancy bordered; can be used for short curtains; regular prices 29c to 59c values. Thursday Special 15c Yard

Remnants of Best Grade Silkline—Slightly soiled, run from 1 to 3 yards, 36 inch wide; regular price 29c yard. Thursday Special 15c Yard

Cretennes—30 in. to 36 in. wide, on good heavy cloth; regular prices 39c to \$1.25 yard. Thursday Special 25c to 98c Yard

27x60 Heavy Axminster Rugs—Slightly imperfect; regular price \$6.98. Thursday Special \$4.50 Each

36x63 Heavy Axminster Rugs—Slightly imperfect; regular price \$7.98 each. Thursday Special \$5.98 Each

36x72 Heavy Axminster Rugs—Slightly imperfect; regular price \$9.50 each. Thursday Special \$6.98 Each

9x12 Tapestry Rugs—Slight imperfection, 2 patterns only; regular price \$25 each. Thursday Special \$14.50 Each

9x12 Axminster Rugs—Slight imperfection, 4 patterns only; regular price \$12.50 each. Thursday Special \$23.50 Ea.

9x12 Heaviest Axminster Rugs—Slight imperfection; regular price \$59.00 each. Thursday Special \$32.50 Each

Second Floor

# The Great Underpriced Basement

## MEN'S FURNISHING SECTION

Men's Jersey Ribbed Shirts and Drawers; \$1.00 value, at 75c

Men's Heavy Fleece Lined Shirts and Drawers; \$1.00 value, at 69c

Men's Jersey Ribbed Union Suits; \$2.00 value, at \$1.50

Boys' Jersey Ribbed Union Suits; \$1.00 value, at 79c, 2 for \$1.50

Men's Heavy Sweaters; \$2.00 value, at \$1.50

Men's Heather Hose; 25c value, at 15c pair

## SHOE SECTION

Misses' and Children's Gun Metal Hi-Cut Shoes, all sizes, 8½ to 11 and 11½ to 1; regular price \$2.00. Thursday Special \$1.49

Misses' and Children's Black Jersey Leggings, all sizes 6 to 1. Thursday Special 69c

Women's Felt Slippers, with soft chrome soles, all colors and sizes 3 to 7; regular price \$1. Thursday Special 79c

Misses' and Children's Red Sole Rubbers, the kind that wears, all sizes 8 to 10½ and 11 to 12; regular price \$1. Thursday Special 75c

Women's Rubbers to fit medium and low heels, all sizes 3 to 9. Thursday Special 59c

Men's Heavy One-Buckle Overshoes, all sizes 6 to 10; regular price \$2. Thursday Special \$1.49

Men's Short Rubber Boots, knee length, mostly samples, 5 to 9. Thursday Special \$2.98

Boys' Tan or Black Hi-Cut Storm Shoes with buckles at top, all sizes 3 to 5½; regular price \$3. Thursday Special \$1.98

Basement

## BOYS' CLOTHING SECTION

Boys' Sheepskin Coats, 8 to 18 years, heavy brown moleskin cloth, belt all round, large shawl collar, muff and flap pockets; \$8.50 value, at \$5.95

## HOUSE FURNISHINGS SECTION

Campbell's Gas Irons, complete with 6 ft. of metal tubing; regular price \$2.98. Thursday Special to Close \$1.39 Each

Wash Boilers, slightly damaged, made of IX charcoal tin with 14 oz. copper bottoms; regular price \$2.40. Thursday Special to Close 98c Each

Home Extension Closet Rods—No. 3 extension, 37 in. to 49 in., No. 4 extension 47 in. to 59 in.; regular price 98c and \$1.10. Thursday Special to Close 49c Each

Wonder Window Washer Pads, cleans windows like magic. Thursday Special 7c Each

Inverted Gas Mantles; regular price 12½c. Thursday Special 8c Each

## READY-TO-WEAR SECTION

Women's Bloomers, made of fine jersey, flesh and white; 50c value 39c

Women's Bandeaux, made of heavy broadcloth, elastic belt; 50c value 39c

Petticoats, made of fine sateen, black and plain colors, also figured flounces; \$2.00 value \$1.49

Women's Drawers, made of fine cambric, lace and Hamburg trimmed, regular and outsize; 89c value 55c

Children's Gowns, made of heavy flannel; 50c value 39c

Aprons, made of fine percale, trimmed with plain colors; 69c value 50c

Children's Bathrobes, made of heavy blanketing, sizes 2 to 6 years; \$1.00 value, at 49c

## DRY GOODS SECTION

Bleached Cotton Remnants, 36 inches wide, good quality; 17c value, at 12½c Yard

Bleached Cotton, 36 inches wide, very fine quality; 22c value, at 15c Yard

Lockwood Cotton, 36 inches wide, full pieces; 19c value, at 15c Yard

Pepperell, 81-inch Unbleached Seamless Sheeting, at 45c Yd.

Long Cloth, 36 inches wide, fine quality for fine underwear; 25c value, at \$1.65 for 10 yards

Curtain Muslin, 36 inches wide, dotted and figured; 20c value, at 15c Yard

Mill Remnants of Heavy Cretonne, all new designs; 20c value, at 15c Yard

Heavy Twill Domest Flannel, in white, blue and pink; 19c value, at 15c Yard

Figured Mercerized Sateen, in large variety of patterns for coat lining; 59c value, at 39c Yard

All Linen Crash Toweling, in remnants, unbleached, at 10c Yard

Bleached Mercerized Damask Remnants, heavy quality, 35c Yard

Heavy Cotton Huck Towels, 18x36; regular 19c value, at 10c Each

Old Remnants, up to 36 inches wide, colored 5c Yard

Remnants of Curtain Scrim, white, cream and ecru, at 5c Yard

Yard Wide Outing Flannel, in stripes, remnants; 19c value, at 12½c Yard

Bleached and Unbleached Crash, part linen, in remnants; 19c value 12½c Yard

## DRY GOODS SECTION

MN Remnants of Bungalow Cretonnes, 36 inches wide, for comfortable covering, 15c Yd.

40 inch Unbleached Cotton, in remnants, good fine quality; 15c value, at 10c Yard

Bleached Sheets, made of good standard quality of sheeting, 81x90; regular value \$1.59, at \$1.10 Each

Mill Remnants of Art Sateen, yard wide; 30c value, at 19c Yard

Bleached Domest and Fancy Stripe Outing Flannel, 27 inches wide, in large remnants, at 10c Yard

Fancy Plaid Bed Blankets, double bed size; \$2.98 value, at \$1.89 Pair

50 Doz. Dish Towels, made of linen finish toweling, 6½c Each

Children's Jersey Fleece Shirts and Drawers, broken sizes; 39c value, at 25c Each

Children's and Misses' Jersey Waist Union Suits, heavy weight; \$1.00 value, at 59c a Suit

Children's Heavy Fleece Sleeping Garments; \$1.00 value, at 49c Each

Boys' and Girls' Heavy Ribbed Hose; 39c value, at 19c Pair

Curtain Scrim, remnants, white, single border; 10c value, at 3c Yard

Bates 32 inch Zephyr Gingham, in short remnants, easily matched for rompers, blouses, shirts and children's dresses, 12½c Yard

Women's Heavy Cotton Hose, ribbed top; 25c value, at 15c Pair

Women's Cashmerette Hose, black with grey heel and toe; 25c value, at 15c Pair

# JANUARY HARDWARE BARGAINS

MAIL BOXES, 75c, \$1.25	DIPPERS, agate and tin..19c
SCREW DRIVERS, 4c to 19c	CAN OPENERS.....4c
HAMMERS AND HATCHETS, 50c	ASH SIFTERS.....39c
HORSE FEED BAGS...79c	COMBINATION AXE AND PICK.....\$2.00
PICTURE CORD, pkg....3c	FILES.....9c to 14c
CORKSCREWS.....1c	CUPBOARD DOOR CATCH, 5c
MIXED BRADS, lb.....7c	FENCE STRETCHER.....50c
FINE WIRE, per spool....5c	SUCTION PUMPS.....39c
DUST PANS.....11c	

## CARPENTERS' CLAMPS

Large and strong.....40c and 50c



# FAIRBURN'S

FRESHLY CUT, <b>Pork Chops</b> 35c value, lb. 25c	FRESHLY PACKED MAINE <b>Canned Clams</b> Large 6 oz. Can 10c
OUR BEST <b>Spring Lamb Chops</b> 45c value, lb. 33c	FRESHLY MADE <b>Creamery Butter</b> 58c Value, lb. 53c

OUR ADS MEAN WHAT THEY SAY THEY MEAN

# In the Interest of Better Service

In addition to our regular men, who are always at the service of our customers, we have engaged an extra crew to visit very house in Lowell to inspect all gas appliances.

As stated in the heading of this advertisement the work is being undertaken in the interest of better service.

The service men wear the official Lowell Gas Light Company badge. Please be sure that anyone who calls to inspect your gas appliances wears this badge. The inspection work is being done free of all cost to consumers, unless it is necessary to furnish new parts or supplies.

## Lowell Gas Light Company

C. R. PRITCHARD, Gen. Mgr.

“You Can Do It Better With Gas”



# More New Sections Added to the January Department Clearances

WATCH FOR THE ORANGE CARDS

## A. G. Pollard Co.

THE STORE FOR THRIFTY PEOPLE

### Handkerchiefs, Neckwear and Aprons

- Men's All Linen Odd Initial Handkerchiefs, regular price 50c. Clearance Sale ..... 35c
- Men's Colored Initial Handkerchiefs, regular price 30c. Clearance Sale ..... 25c
- Men's Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, regular price 15c. Clearance Sale ..... 3 for 25c
- Women's All Linen Odd Initial Handkerchiefs, regular price 50c. Clearance Sale ..... 17c
- Women's Colored Linen Odd Initial Handkerchiefs, regular price 50c. Clearance Sale ..... 25c
- Women's Embroidered Handkerchiefs, regular price 25c and 29c. Clearance Sale ..... 12 1/2c
- Women's Embroidered Handkerchiefs, regular price 30c. Clearance Sale ..... 19c
- Men's Odd Initial Handkerchiefs, regular price 25c. Clearance Sale ..... 12 1/2c
- Hamburg Edges, 2 to 6 inches wide, regular price 20c and 25c a yard. Clearance Sale ..... 5 Yards for 75c
- Venice Lace Collars, regular price 50c. Clearance Sale ..... 39c
- Lace Collar and Cuff Sets, regular price \$1.00. Clearance Sale ..... 39c
- Linon Vestees with cuffs, regular price \$1.00 and \$1.50. Clearance Sale ..... 50c
- Pique Vestees with cuffs, regular price \$2.00 and \$3.00. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.00
- Organic Vestees, regular price \$1.00. Clearance Sale ..... 50c
- Organic Guimpes, regular price \$3.00. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.00
- Myelot Brambleigh Collar and Cuff Sets. Clearance Sale ..... 25c
- Organic Flouncings in colors orchid, peach, blue and green, regular price \$1.40 a yard. Clearance Sale, yard ..... 75c
- Silk Scarfs, regular price \$1.40. Clearance Sale ..... 75c
- Net Camisole Vestees, trimmed with Venice lace, regular price \$1.00. Clearance Sale ..... 50c
- Brush Wool Scarf and Hat in navy, brown and jade, regular price \$3.50. Clearance Sale, (4 only) ..... \$1.95
- Soiled and Mussed Aprons, lace and Hamburg trimmed, regular price 50c, 75c, \$1.00. Clearance Sale ..... 39c, 50c, 75c

Street Floor

### Kid and Fabric Gloves

- Women's Fabric Gloves—Black and grey; regular price 75c. Clearance Sale ..... 25c
- Women's 12-Button Fabric Gloves and 1-Clasp Duplex Fabric Gloves—Regular prices \$1 and \$1.75. Clearance Sale 39c
- Women's 2-Clasp Kid Gloves—White and tan, few black and grey; regular prices \$2.50 to \$4.00. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.15
- Women's Kid Gloves—Strap wrist and 8-button length; regular prices \$3.50 to \$4.50. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.79
- Children's Woolen Mittens and Gloves—Regular prices 50c to 70c. Clearance Sale ..... 29c and 39c

Street Floor

### Sheffield Plate

- Bread Trays—Regular price \$5.00. Clearance Sale ..... \$3.00
- Sandwich Trays—Regular price \$3.75. Clearance Sale ..... \$2.75
- Handled Sandwich Trays—Regular price \$5.00. Clearance Sale ..... \$4.25
- Children's Cups—Regular price \$1.00. Clearance Sale ..... 50c
- Teapot Stands—Regular price \$1.75. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.00
- Individual Peppers and Salts—Regular price \$1.00 pair. Clearance Sale ..... 50c Pair
- Handled Bon Bon Dishes—Regular price \$4.25. Clearance Sale ..... \$2.75
- Syrup Jugs—Regular price \$3.75. Clearance Sale ..... \$2.50
- Tea Balls—Regular price 60c. Clearance Sale ..... 39c
- Tenettes—Regular price \$1.00. Clearance Sale ..... 69c
- Tenettes—Regular price 70c. Clearance Sale ..... 50c
- Napkin Rings—Regular price \$1.00. Clearance Sale ..... 59c
- Shaving Mirrors on stands (2 only)—Regular price \$2.00. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.00
- "Shino" Polishing Cloths—Regular price 50c. Clearance Sale 39c

Street Floor

### Sterling Silverware

- Sterling Silver Napkin Rings—Regular price \$3.00. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.89
- Sterling Silver Napkin Rings—Regular price \$2.50. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.50
- Sterling Silver Napkin Rings—Regular price \$1.25. Clearance Sale ..... 69c
- Gravy Ladles—Sterling silver handles; regular price \$3.00. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.00
- Cold Meat Forks—Sterling silver handles; regular price \$3.00. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.00
- Cream Ladles—Sterling silver handles; regular price \$2.00. Clearance Sale ..... 75c
- Cheese Knives—Sterling silver handles; regular price \$2.00. Clearance Sale ..... 75c
- Carving Sets—Regular price \$15.00. Clearance Sale ..... \$7.50
- Carving Sets—Regular price \$11.75. Clearance Sale ..... \$5.50
- Carving Sets—Regular price \$8.75. Clearance Sale ..... \$4.50
- Carving Sets—Regular price \$6.75. Clearance Sale ..... \$3.50
- Carving Sets—Regular price \$4.75. Clearance Sale ..... \$2.25

Street Floor

### JEWELRY

- Coin Cases, regular prices \$5.00 and \$10.00. Clearance Sale ..... \$3.98, \$5.00
- Bracelets, regular prices 50c, \$1.00 and \$1.89. Clearance Sale ..... 35c, 75c and \$1.39
- Baby Bracelets, solid gold, two only; regular price \$5.00. Clearance Sale ..... \$3.50
- Waldemars, solid gold; regular prices \$5.00, \$6.00, \$6.75 and \$7.75. Clearance Sale, \$3.00, \$3.75, \$4.50 and \$5.50
- Sweater Cuff Pins, regular prices \$3.00 and \$5.00. Clearance Sale ..... \$2.00 and \$3.00
- Baby Pins, solid gold; regular price \$3.75. Clearance Sale, \$2.50
- Friendship Pins, solid gold; regular price \$1.50. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.00
- Brooch Pins, solid gold; regular prices \$5.00, \$6.00 and \$8.50. Clearance Sale, \$3.50, \$4.50, \$6.00

- Cameo Brooches, solid gold; regular prices \$15, \$16.50, \$17.50 and \$18. Clearance Sale ..... \$10, \$11, \$12 and \$13
- Necklaces, solid gold; regular prices \$5.00 and \$8.50. Clearance Sale ..... \$3.50 and \$6.00
- Necklaces, gold filled; regular price \$3.50. Clearance Sale \$1.50
- Pendants, regular prices \$2.00, \$3.00 and \$3.50. Clearance Sale ..... 75c, \$2.00 and \$2.50
- Rosaries, warranted 20 years; regular price \$2.75. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.69
- Slipper Pins, sterling silver, two pairs only; regular price \$7.50 pair. Clearance Sale, \$5.00 Pair
- Slipper Pins, regular price \$2.00 pair. Clearance Sale, \$1 Pair
- Friendship Pins, sterling silver; regular prices \$1.50 and \$2.50. Clearance Sale ..... 75c and \$1.00
- Bar Pins, regular prices \$3.98, \$5.00 and \$8.50. Clearance Sale, \$2.50, \$3.50 and \$6.50
- Girdles, regular prices \$1.00 and \$2.00. Clearance Sale, 75c and \$1.25
- Feather Fans, three only; were \$15, \$18 and \$20. Clearance Sale ..... \$12, \$14 and \$16
- Pearl Beads, indestructible; regular price \$3.98. Clearance Sale ..... \$2.50
- Earrings, regular prices \$1.00 and \$1.50. Clearance Sale, 75c and \$1.19

### HAIR NETS

- Bluebird Hair Nets, double and single mesh; regular price \$1.50 dozen. Clearance Sale, Dozen ..... \$1.00
- Double Mesh Hair Nets, cap shape; regular prices \$1.25 and \$1.50 dozen. Clearance Sale, Dozen ..... 89c
- Single Mesh Cap Hair Nets, regular price \$1.50 dozen. Clearance Sale, Dozen ..... 79c
- Single Mesh Cap Shape Hair Nets, regular price \$1 dozen. Clearance Sale, Dozen ..... 59c

Street Floor

### PICTURES AND PICTURE FRAMES

- Fred Thompson's Hand Colored Pictures, regular price \$1.00. Clearance Sale ..... 50c
- Platinoid Picture Frames, regular price \$2.50. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.25
- Platinoid Picture Frames, regular price \$2.00. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.00
- Platinoid Picture Frames, regular price \$1.00. Clearance Sale ..... 50c
- Platinoid Picture Frames, regular price 75c. Clearance Sale ..... 39c
- Platinoid Picture Frames, regular price 50c. Clearance Sale ..... 29c
- Platinoid Picture Frames, regular price 39c. Clearance Sale ..... 19c

Street Floor

## A. G. Pollard Co.

THE STORE FOR THRIFTY PEOPLE

### Millinery

- Trimmed Hats—Regular prices \$10.00 to \$15.00. Clearance Sale ..... \$5.00
- Trimmed Hats—Regular prices \$4.98 to \$7.50. Clearance Sale ..... \$2.00 and \$2.98
- Banded Velour and Felt Hats—Regular prices \$3.98 to \$5.98. Clearance Sale ..... \$2.00
- Children's Ready-to-Wear Hats—Regular prices \$1.98 and \$2.05. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.00
- Children's Suede-like Hats and Tams—Regular price 98c. Clearance Sale ..... 69c
- Fancy Feathers and Flowers ..... 1-3 Off the Reg. Price
- New Spring Frames—Regular price 40c. Clearance Sale ..... 39c

Palmer Street Store

### Candlesticks and Crucifixes

- Candlesticks—Gold and silver finish; regular price \$7.50 pair. Clearance Sale ..... \$2.75 Pair
- Book Ends—(1 set only); regular price \$9.00 set. Clearance Sale ..... \$3.50 Set
- Ornament—(Beatrice), gold finish; regular price \$5.00. Clearance Sale ..... \$2.50
- Crucifixes—Gold and silver finish; regular prices \$1.50 and \$1.89. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.00
- Crucifixes—Gold and silver finish; regular price \$1.00. Clearance Sale ..... 50c

Street Floor

### Shell Goods and Hair Ornaments

- Casque Combs—White stone settings; regular price \$2.50. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.00
- Casque Combs—Blue, green and white stone settings; regular price \$2.25. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.25
- Casque Combs—Assorted stone settings; regular price \$1.00. Clearance Sale ..... 59c
- Back Combs—Assorted stone settings; regular price \$1.00. Clearance Sale ..... 59c
- Back Combs—Assorted stone settings; regular price 50c. Clearance Sale ..... 39c
- Barrettes—Assorted stone settings; regular price \$2.25. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.25
- Barrettes—Assorted stone settings; regular price \$1.00. Clearance Sale ..... 69c
- Barrettes—White stone settings; regular price 50c. Clearance Sale ..... 25c
- Tuck Combs—White stone settings; regular price \$1.00. Clearance Sale ..... 50c
- Hair Pins—Assorted stone settings; regular price \$2.00. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.50
- Hair Pins—Colored stone settings; regular price \$1.00. Clearance Sale ..... 50c
- Hair Pins—White stone settings; regular price 50c. Clearance Sale ..... 25c
- Spanish Combs—Carved; regular price \$4.50. Clearance Sale \$3.00
- Spanish Combs—Carved; regular price \$2.50. Clearance Sale \$1.50
- Spanish Combs—Carved; regular price \$1.00. Clearance Sale 59c
- Spanish Combs—Plain and carved; regular price 75c. Clearance Sale ..... 25c
- Back Combs—Plain, shell color only; regular price 29c. Clearance Sale ..... 15c
- Side Combs—Shell color only; regular price 29c pair. Clearance Sale ..... 15c Pair
- Hair Pins—Shell color only; regular price 10c a box. Clearance Sale ..... 2 boxes for 15c

Street Floor

### Cut Glass

- Sherbets—Butterfly cutting; regular price \$3.75 1/2 doz. Clearance Sale ..... \$2.50 1/2 Doz.
- Flower Vases—Regular price \$1.00. Clearance Sale ..... 69c
- Ice Tea and Lemonade Sets—Covered jug and six glasses; regular price \$3.00 set. Clearance Sale ..... \$2.29 set
- Water Sets—Jug and six glasses; regular price \$3.00 set. Clearance Sale ..... \$2.19 set
- Night Sets—Regular price \$1.30. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.00
- 3 Pegged Nappies—Regular price 79c. Clearance Sale ..... 50c
- Oil Bottles—Regular price \$2.25. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.69
- Syrup Jugs—Regular price \$2.50. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.75
- French Dressing Bottles—Regular price \$2.50. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.50
- Iridescent Candy Jars—Regular price \$1.00. Clearance Sale 75c
- Cracker and Cheese Dishes—Regular price \$1.75. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.25
- Candy Boxes—Regular price \$2.50. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.75
- Candy Boxes—Regular price \$1.50. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.00
- Marmalade Jars—Regular price \$1.50. Clearance Sale \$1.00
- Flower Vases—Regular price \$3.50. Clearance Sale ..... \$2.25
- Peppers and Salts—Sterling silver tops; regular price \$2.25 pair. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.25 Pair
- Colored Flower Bowls and Vases—Clearance Sale ..... \$1.00 Each

Street Floor



MISS CLARA COOPER, CINCINNATI SCHOOL TEACHER, INSTRUCTING A DEAF PUPIL THROUGH A POWERFUL RADIO AMPLIFIER.

### TALKING INTO YESTERDAY

It's One of the "Commonplace" Wonders of Radio

The wonders of radio have occurred so often that they are beginning to become commonplace.

Take the radio invention to make the deaf hear. One came out about a year ago and brought to its inventor the blessings of many men and women who were hard of hearing.

Since then other inventions for the deaf have come out, practically all based on the idea of affording the deaf hearing by the sense of feeling the vibrations produced through the radio. The latest type is a powerful amplifier which is being used in the Cincinnati public schools for the benefit of the children who are hard of hearing. The teacher speaks into the amplifier and the child, sitting beside her, listens in through the ear phones.

Few marvel any longer over the almost instantaneous spanning of space. In fact, a person could hear three minutes later 500 miles away yesterday and he would be interested merely in knowing how that is possible.

This was accomplished only recently in a test on amateur radio transmission between William Percy Maxim, president of the American Radio Relay League at Hartford, Conn., and Clifford Dow, who was 6000 miles off in Hawaii. One amateur in Steep Eye, Minn., was used to relay the message.

At about five o'clock in the morning, eastern time, Maxim sent his test message and got an answer from Hawaii in six minutes. The peculiar part was that the test is that the same message was heard in Hawaii at about 11:30 the evening before! And it was three minutes after Maxim had wirelessly his message.

Of course, that was Pacific time, which is nearly six hours behind eastern time.

These wonders are only two of the results obtained from the invention of the vacuum tube. Yet the vacuum tube was known to regular line telephony before it was introduced to radio. J. J. Carty, vice president of the Bell Telephone System, took Dr. Lee De Forest's audio and adopted it for long-distance telephone conversation.

Now, a telephone talk between New York and San Francisco is relayed 12 times through vacuum tubes. Their utility for wireless transmission was investigated in 1913 with the result that today they are beginning to replace powerful machines for radio conversation across the Atlantic.

**BABY'S COLDS**  
are soon "nipped in the bud" without "dosing" by use of—

**VICK'S VAPORUB**  
Over 17 Million Jars Used Yearly



STOP THAT COUGH OR COLD AT ONCE  
By Using That Old-Fashioned Remedy  
**STORY'S FLAXSEED COMPOUND**  
At All Druggists or at Davis Square Drug Store

### Radio Broadcasts

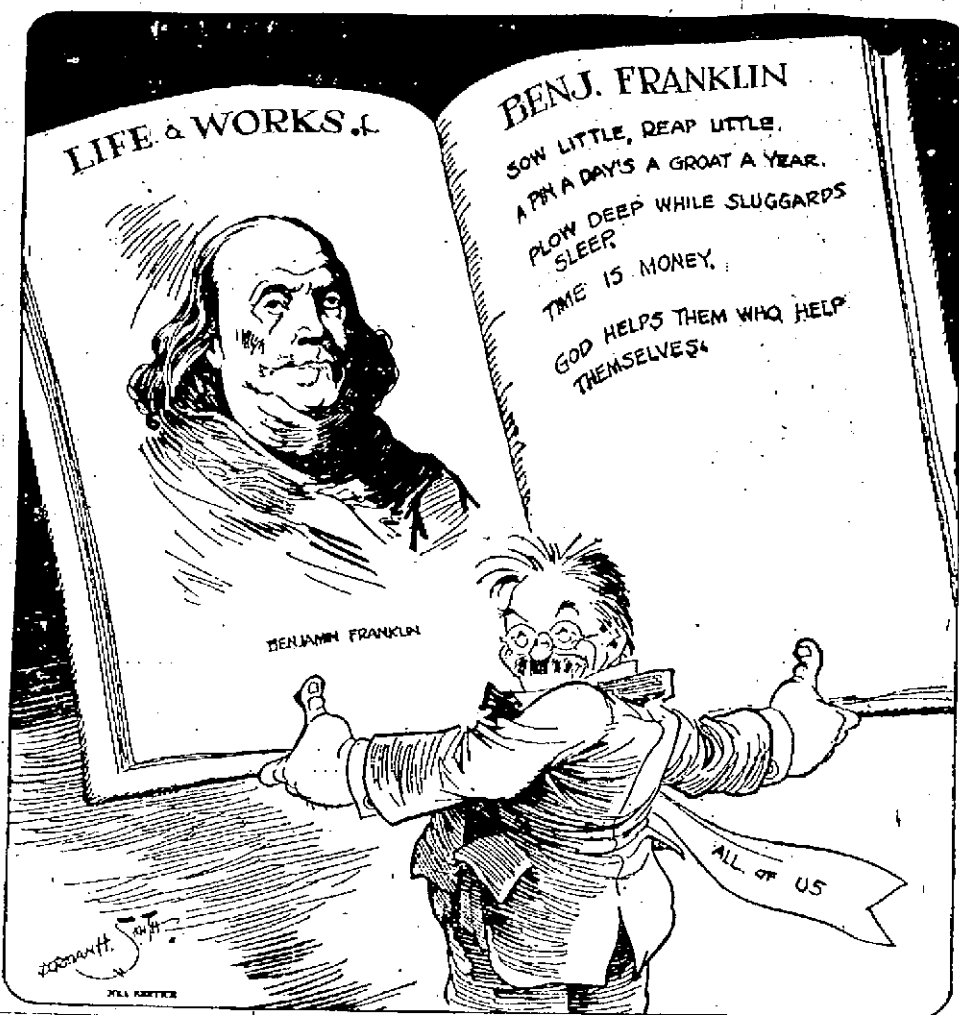
- STATION WJAC, BOSTON  
1 p. m.—Dance music by Shepard colonial orchestra; selections on the phonograph and player-piano.  
5:30 p. m.—"Concert" program by the Knickerbocker club of Boston, Norman Arnold, first tenor, Ralph Harlow second tenor, Walter Kilder first bass, Cameron Steele second bass, Robert Nichols, accompanist; The Bedouin Love Song (Footie), by the club; Love Songs (Footie), by the club; Rose (Openheart), by the club; Scotch Songs, Cameron Steele; Rose in the Bud, Renard; Grand Song, Lohengrin (Wagner), Norman Arnold; Smiles (Harlow) and Georgette (Henderson), by the club; Arise from La Gioconda and Why? (Footie), Renard; Jerry and Three O'Clock in the Morning (Kahin), by the club.  
STATION WGL, MEDFORD HILLSIDE  
8 p. m.—Concert by the McDowell club orchestra of 45 strings, Mr. Geo. Langley, conductor. Broadcast from Jordan Hall.  
Serenade (Tschalkowsky), Pizzoni in Form di Sonatina, Kiegle and Wallace by the orchestra; In the Dawn of Indian Sky (Stephens), by the Poulton (Warr), Les Benay Raven (Bogal-Pocla) and Sevilian (Don Cesar de Bazan (Massenet), by Mrs. Clara Section Crowley soprano, Mrs. Minnie Little Longley, pianist, Breton Afternoon (Smith), Mrs. Robinson and orchestra; Omaha Indian Love Song, A Chippewa Love Song and A Chippewa Vision (Hens), by the orchestra; Caline-Deide, Seilennac, Grove, and Finale Tres Amies, Miss Hildegarde Nash, Donalson, violinist; Bruce Si Monte, pianist.  
5 p. m.—Children's hour; animal stories read by "Uncle Billy." Musical accompaniment by "Uncle Eddie."  
5:30 p. m.—Closing report on farmers' produce market report (155 meters). Livestock markets and butter and eggs reports (435 meters).  
6 p. m.—Late news and early sports.  
6:30 p. m.—Boston police reports.  
"Wool Market News," a weekly review of the wool industry.  
6:45 p. m.—Evening program: The family circle, The Big Cedar, An Amusing Retort, A Record Exchange, Not to Be Heaten and Red Tape—at a Motor Price, The Night, A Street Diptheria, Dr. Burton A. Welcome of the American Red Cross. Just Boy a story, Musical program to be announced by radio phone.

### 725 LAID UP WITH SHOVELERS' CRAMP

BOSTON, Jan. 17.—Shovelers' cramp has cost the city and the street railway company the services of 725 men, as a result of the almost constant labors with the recurring snows of the past fortnight. Public Works Commissioner Joseph A. Rourke said yesterday that 700 laborers were on the city's sick list, laid up with cramps and colds. General Manager Edward Dana said 235 of the Boston Elevated railway's gangs were at home unable to work for a time after days spent fighting the snows. The aggregate cost in money to city and company for snow removal was placed at nearly \$500,000 in the officials' statements.

**OF WHITE MUSLIN**  
An unusual evening frock from Paris is developed in white muslin, trimmed with rows and rows of tiny ruffles of finer muslin, with a huge bow of silver cloth at the side.

## THE THRIFT WEEK PRIMER

REORGANIZED CADETS  
HOLD FIRST DRILL

The first drill of the reorganized O. M. I. Cadets was held in the East Merrimack street armory last evening, and consisted of setting up exercises, calisthenics and regulation drills, under the direction of former Major William Courty, Rev. Dennis A. Sullivan, spiritual director, gave a short talk on the exhibition drill which comes in April, and the summer camp in Wilmington. He also awarded a world series baseball to Private Elmer Ryan, the holder of the lucky ticket at the anniversary celebration last week. The ball was donated by Bob Hart, big league umpire.

Announcement was made that the cast for the proposed minstrel show had been chosen and that rehearsals would begin immediately under the direction of John O'Brien and John O'Connor. The show will be given after Lent. Plans are also under way to organize a second basketball team.

**To Cure a Cold in One Day**  
Take Laxative BROMO QUININE (Tablets). Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. The box bears the signature of E. W. Grove. 30c.

with Thomas Kelly, star high school football player, as captain. Major William M. Conroy, Adj. Francis Gargan and Capt. Joseph M. Reilly, U. S. A., of the executive committee, will supervise the drilling of the Cadets.

TALKED ON THE  
SYMBOLISM OF DREAMS

Rev. Joseph P. Kennedy, pastor of the Highland-Union church was the speaker before the Women's Educational club of the Central M. E. church yesterday afternoon. He gave a comprehensive talk on the symbolism of dreams as worked out by Professor Sigmund Freud and the value of psycho-analysis, explaining that dreams are records which have been registered on the sub-conscious mind. The Freud system is complicated, he said, and a little bit too sweeping in its symbolism.

Prior to the lecture, Mrs. J. H. Maguire, president of the Educational club, stated that a suggestion had been made to draw up a constitution and by-laws. A motion to this effect was made by Mrs. Robert Gardner and the following committee appointed: Mrs. F. D. Foss, Mrs. John Rule, Mrs. John Fleming, Mrs. Hadley, Mrs. A. G. Dinsmore and Mrs. H. J. Whiteley.

NEW BOSTON MAN  
REPORTS FIRST ROBIN

Robin No. 1, 1923 model, warranted fast color, was reported today. When D. H. Coburn of New Boston, N. H., was trying to shovel a tunnel through a mountain of snow where his famous cow barns lay hidden, he heard a gentle chirp and then a few more chirps from an alleged walnut tree. Investigation revealed a robin with all summer finery still intact and colors brightly shimmering. Said robin appeared to be harboring a spring or something. At any rate, Mr. Coburn is a truthful man.

COLLAR AND BLANKET  
FOR PRIZE WINNER

Fred Williams, owner of the prize terrier, "Grey Tick," was presented a beautiful dog collar and blanket at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Kirkpatrick of Epping street, on Monday evening last, by members of the Lowell kennel club. It was Mr. Williams' birthday and there was an excellent entertainment provided, with cornet solos by Allan G. Williams, song by Mrs. Allan Williams and piano selections by Master James Kirkpatrick. Refreshments were also served.

ANNUAL REPORT BY  
EMPLOYMENT BUREAU

Among annual reports submitted to the city council last night was that of Cornelius F. Cronin, director of the civic employment bureau. During the year the bureau placed in positions 1925 men and women and received nearly 8000 applications for work of all kinds. A total of 547 firms and individuals filed requests for employees with total positions available numbering 2556.

In part, the report says: Not only has the bureau concerned itself with putting men and women to work, but it has also taken care of families in want, who need only a little assistance to tide them over their difficulties until they get employment. For instance, during the year the bureau gave 516 families, orders for coal, wood, groceries, clothing, shoes and rubbers. The furnishing of shoes and rubbers is an especially important part of the bureau's work in the winter months. The bureau does not furnish these articles, but rather secures them for the needy, and then arranges for their delivery to the needy.

It has been the purpose of the bureau to steer clear of all charity work and simply to assist the man or woman looking for employment. In the scope of the bureau's work getting a job for an individual was only a small part of its service. It has tried to help the applicant to fit himself to work by giving him food and lodging and, if necessary, clothing, until he began earning money himself.

The bureau has worked in conjunction with the Lowell Social Service league, the probation officers of the district court, the St. Vincent de Paul Society and the Salvation Army. It is indebted to Martin Lydon, Mrs. William P. Daley and Mrs. Bromley Shoppe for supplies contributed during the recent Christmas season, and to various other individuals who assisted the bureau at other times during the year.

Griffin's Hair Grower is the best remedy yet known for falling hair. It is a healthy, happy, contented wife is the life and joy of the home and the greatest inspiration a man can have, yet how many homes in America are blighted by the ill-health and sufferings of the wife and mother. It may be backache, headaches, the tortures of a displacement or some other ailment peculiar to the sex, which makes her irritable, despondent and her whole life a burden. Every woman in this condition should rely upon Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs, to restore her to health and happiness, for skillful physicians all agree that it is the best remedy for every 100 women who try it. Adv.

## Bald Thirty Years

A Prominent California Hotel Owner

"I bought two bottles of your Hair Grower from a local barber and used it with very satisfactory results on my head that has been bald for thirty years. Please send me six more by parcel post, collect."—E. W. Savage, Hotel Daley, 50 Market street, Venice, California.

## THE LIFE OF A HOME

A healthy, happy, contented wife is the life and joy of the home and the greatest inspiration a man can have, yet how many homes in America are blighted by the ill-health and sufferings of the wife and mother. It may be backache, headaches, the tortures of a displacement or some other ailment peculiar to the sex, which makes her irritable, despondent and her whole life a burden. Every woman in this condition should rely upon Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs, to restore her to health and happiness, for skillful physicians all agree that it is the best remedy for every 100 women who try it. Adv.

## For Cold on the Chest

Musterole is easy to apply and it does not blister like the old-fashioned mustard plaster.

Musterole is a clean, white ointment, made with oil of mustard. Simply massage it in gently with the finger tips. You will be delighted to see how quickly it brings relief.

Get Musterole at your drug store, 35c and 65c jars and tubes; hospital size, \$3.

Better Than a Mustard Plaster

**MUSTEROLE**  
WILL NOT BLISTER

many men were unable to go to work for the city because they had no rubbers or overshoes to protect their feet. It is in such cases as these that the bureau steps in and furnishes supplies from its relief fund.

This fund, by the way, amounted to \$4221.44 during the year, representing revenues from all sources, including \$1500 which was contributed by the local theatres last winter from their Sunday concert proceeds. The city has not contributed to this relief work, but has simply paid the salary of the director and necessary office expenses. Out of the relief fund, also, board and room have been furnished 136 individuals who had no home and who were in need of a place to eat and sleep until they could get work. The people thus assisted were all habitual charity seekers, but rather persons with an earnest desire to work as soon as they could find employment.

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REPORT BY MATRON OF  
CHILDREN'S HOME

Miss Ellen O'Leary, matron of the Children's Home, filed her report of the activities and work done during the past year at the meeting of the association held at the home yesterday afternoon. Edward W. Trull, treasurer, reported upon the financial status of the home. His report showed that after all bills were paid there was a little balance carried over for the present year. Mr. Trull was accorded a vote of thanks by the members for his work in behalf of the home. Hobson & Lawler company was also the recipient of a vote of thanks for the work they did at the home free of charge.

The matron reported 22 children at the home at the beginning of the year and 30 now children were received and one remained during the year. She also reports little sickness at the home. There was one case of sleeping sickness which was sent to the isolation hospital and from there to the cottage hospital for children at Baldwinville, Mass. This case is now on the road to recovery. In regard to payment for the keeping of children, Miss O'Leary says: "We insist on the parents paying something when they are working. Of course some of them who are paying get out of work and then we keep the children and when the parents get well they begin to pay again."

She also reports many children taken care of for no compensation whatsoever, cases of destitute and homeless children, and the burden of their support falls on public charity. In addition to cash many contributions are received from the churches of Lowell and vicinity, bakers, farmers, and from some of the mills.

The pound party held in May, donation week in October, and Thanksgiving and Christmas bring large contributions of eatables, money and other necessities of the home.

In conclusion the report states "The New Year is bright with promise and we go forward in the name of our father which is in heaven that one of these little ones should perish" and

## Hunt For Missing Girl Student

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Police have been asked to look for Miss Claire Rogers, 18 year old student at Columbia university, who has been missing since Monday night. Miss Rogers, a cousin of Eugene O'Neill, the playwright, came to New York last fall after graduating from high school in her home city, New London, Conn. She was last seen about 6 o'clock Monday evening when she parted from two fellow students at Broadway and 116th streets.

## Woman Leaves Bequests For Employees

CAMBRIDGE, Jan. 17.—Private bequests totalling \$300,000 and providing for every employee in her service, were revealed when the will of Lucy P. Prescott of Newton was filed for probate here yesterday. Two public bequests were also made, one giving \$6000 to the annuity fund for Congregational ministers with the stipulation that the income be paid to Rev. Zenas Crowell of East Taunton, and the other bequeathing \$5000 to the Newton Home for Aged People.

Again we hear the Master say "If ye abide in me and my words abide in you, ye shall ask what ye will and it will be done unto you."

The officers for the coming year are as follows: President, Joseph W. Griffin; vice president, Edward F. Slattery; treasurer, Edward W. Trull; clerk, William W. Buzell; matron, Ellen O'Leary; committee on finance and repairs, Joseph W. Griffin, Edward F. Slattery, Edward W. Trull, Dr. William A. Johnson, James P. Hanney and William W. Buzell; committee on management and supplies, Ellen O'Leary, Mrs. J. H. McKinley, Mrs. F. M. Bill, Mrs. Harry G. Pollard, Mrs. H. E. Fletcher, Mrs. Clara Proctor, Mrs. Clara Kilder and Mrs. Fannie Hall; committee on entertainment, Joseph W. Griffin and Mrs. Harry G. Pollard.

## NEW PARISH RECTORY

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Avila Sawyer at the corner of White and Crawford streets, in Pawtucketville, has been purchased by the Oblate Fathers as a rectory for the new St. Jeanne d'Arc parish. The final papers were passed yesterday, the property being conveyed to the Roman Catholic archbishop of Boston. The property consists of a 10-room house with all modern improvements, a large garage and 10,000 square feet of land.

## LOWELL NATIONAL BANK

The officers and directors of the Lowell National bank were re-elected yesterday at the annual meeting of the stockholders of the bank. They are: John Robertson, president; J. Munn Andrews, vice president; Armand H. Woodworth, John H. Donohoe, Lucius P. Paulin, James J. Kerwin, Freeman M. Bill, Percy Cullen, J. Harry Boardman, Albert D. Milliken.

## NORMAL SCHOOL LECTURE

A lecture on "The Place of Habit in Personal Development" was given at the Normal school this afternoon by Dr. Lawrence A. Avoell of the State Normal school at Worcester. This was the second lecture of a course of ten, the first being given on Wednesday of last week. The next lecture will be next Wednesday, Jan. 24, on "The Habit of Good English." Supt. of Schools Hugh J. Molloy will give this lecture.

## WHITE COTSUME

The rage for the all-white costume continues. White satin, georgette and tulle are as effectively headed with beads as well as crystal or colored beads.

## IN SILVER OR GOLD

The bandanna kerchief has become so popular it is even invading the ballroom, and is seen in gold or silver brocade, tied in a careless knot.

## MILLINERY

From Paris comes the report that large bows are the most popular trimming for spring hats, and that they are increasing in size with alarming rapidity.

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EAR OIL

IT DOES RELIEVE DEAFNESS and HEAD NOISES. Simply rub it in back of the ears and insert in nostrils. At every drug store. Special instructions by a noted ear specialist in each package.

Heal Skin Troubles  
With Cuticura

If you are troubled with pimples, blackheads, redness, roughness, itching, and burning, which disfigure your complexion and skin, Cuticura Soap and Ointment will do much to help you. Always include the Cuticura Talcum in your toilet preparations.

Sample Each Free by Mail. Address: "Cuticura Laboratories, Dept. 50, Worcester, Mass." Enclose 3c. for postage. Cuticura Soap shares without mug.

## COUGH?

Try PISO'S—astoundingly quick relief. As sure as all others—pleasant—does not upset stomach—no opiates. 35c and 65c everywhere.

## PISO'S

For Coughs & Colds

## C. H. WILLIS

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## For Wednesday and Thursday

STRAWBERRIES RECEIVED DAILY

<b>MILK FED VEAL</b> Forequarters ..... 12¢	<b>CUDAHY'S BEST REX BRAND</b> Lean Smoked Shoulders, 13½¢ (No seconds)	<b>Fresh Ground HAMBURGER STEAK</b> Lb. .... 12½¢
<b>CHOPS</b> Veal Rib ..... 29¢ Pork Rib ..... 29¢ Lamb Rib ..... 33¢	<b>Coon Brothers CHEESE</b> We have the genuine.	<b>Fresh Ground SAUSAGE MEAT</b> Lb. .... 23¢
<b>HADDOCK</b> Not Cleaned ..... 9¢ M. Cod ..... 9¢ SL. Pollock ..... 10¢	<b>Fresh PORK LIVER</b> 7¢ Lb., 4 Lbs. 25¢	<b>Our Own Make TOMATO SAUSAGE</b> Lb. .... 19¢
<b>BACON</b> By the Strip ..... 22¢	<b>BEEF LIVER</b> 10¢ Lb., 3 Lbs. 25¢	Pure Meat and Spices

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**SCRUB-NOT**

**Special  
Prices  
This Week**

**Vegetable Dept.**

- Green Beans
- Butter Beans
- Cauliflower
- Long Green Cucumbers
- French Endives
- Mushrooms
- Sweet Potatoes
- Iceberg Lettuce
- Leeks
- Radishes

**Headquarters  
For Quality  
Products**

98 Wonder

**Cherry & Webb Co.**

50 Odd

**Dresses**

A group of splendid Velours, Serges and Jerseys, in the latest styles. Braid and button trimmed, in self or contrasting colors. Many worth up to \$12.50. At

**\$5**

**Bargain  
Carnival!**

In the  
**Basement Shop**  
Thursday Morning

25 Odd

**Suits**

Some unbelievable bargains in this Thursday morning clearance group—Oxfords, Jerseys and Tricolines. We don't want to quote comparative prices—it would sound ridiculous—But see them! .....

**\$5**

— 250 —

**Skirts**

Prunella stripes, Velour checks, camel's hair color Overplaid. Waist- band sizes 36 to 40

**\$5**

— 77 —

**Bathrobes**

Clearance group—All our fine Beacon Blanket and wide-wale corduroy robes, selling up to \$10. All sizes and a splendid choice of color effects .....

**\$5**

— 38 —

**Raincoats**

Dandy Rubberized Tweed Raincoats. You will need one soon, and these are wonderful bargains at this price of \$5. Many in this group should bring \$10, but clearance is the word now....

**\$5**

**Cherry & Webb Co.**



## MADE THE CENTURY RUN

Mrs. Mary A. S. Tyler of Middlesex Street is 100 Years Old Today

Mrs. Mary A. S. Tyler, one of Lowell's delightful old ladies widely known and beloved, is quietly observing the 100th anniversary of her birth today. Although her health recently has not been of the best, Mrs. Tyler still possesses her faculties to a remarkable degree.

This afternoon, at the Tyler home, 1589 Middlesex street, the venerable lady held a reception to all her friends, an special invitation having been extended to the members of the First Universalist church, of which she has long been a member.

Mrs. Tyler was born in 1823, before Lowell was a municipality. She has had an interesting, useful life, filled with many features of human interest, and has performed a great deal of charitable work in and outside of Lowell.

## ALLEN'S LUNG HEALER For Children

The use of Allen's Lung Healer in the treatment of children's coughs and colds has been so gratifying to hundreds of mothers, that its reputation as a dependable remedy for the children is firmly established with those mothers. Being absolutely free from harmful drugs, it is safe for the youngest babe.

For eliminating those congested conditions of the lungs, and breathing tubes, which are so terrifying to the young mother, it is especially effective.

Every mother in this broad land should know and use this great guardian of the lungs. It should be kept in the home at all times, ready for immediate use on the first signs of a cold. A few doses at the right time will almost invariably prevent the development of a cold into something more serious.

Sold in Lowell by A.W. Davis & Co., L. R. Brunelle, H. R. Campbell, Lowell Pharmacy, J. J. Brown, Wm. H. Newman, F. C. Walker, Fred Howard, F. H. Butler, Adv.

## Arrest Follows Goose Creek Flogging

HOUSTON, Tex., Jan. 17.—Complete solution of the Goose Creek flogging case was expected here today with the arrest late last night of a Goose Creek man. Sheriff Binford stated he had sufficient evidence against the man an expected to gain from him the names of all persons involved. It was planned to bring the man before the grand jury today and have him face Mrs. R. F. Harrison and R. A. Armand, who were beaten by a masked mob on the outskirts of Goose Creek on the night of Jan. 5. Goose Creek Klan No. 4, Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, over the signature of its exalted cyclops last night condemned the flogging of Mrs. Harrison and Armand. The Klan denied responsibility for the act and tendered its fullest assistance to the court in discovering and punishing the assailants.

## Sun Yat Sen Forces Invade Canton

CANTON, Jan. 16.—(By the Associated Press)—Forces favorable to Sun Yat-Sen, deposed president of the southern republic, here, entered Canton this morning. Another army, composed of Yunnan-Kwangso troops, sweeping in from Samshui, is expected here soon. Soldiers of Chen Chiung-Ming, the nationalist commander, have gone over to the invaders here. Gen. Chang Kuo-Chen, representing Hsu Chung Chih, Dr. Sun's ally, has assumed charge of the city.

## Shoots Woman and Then Ends Life

SANFORD, Me., Jan. 17.—Warren Brown of Kennebunk, who fired two bullets into his temple last night, after choking into insensibility and shooting Mrs. Annie Nason, with whom he had been living at a boarding place here the past two weeks, according to the police, died at Ross hospital today. Mrs. Nason, it was thought by physicians will recover, although she has five bullet wounds in the head. Four entered the left side and one passed through the bridge of the nose into one eye. All the bullets were extracted. Both were married and each had two children in their Kennebunk homes.

## 500 Buildings Destroyed by Fire

TOKIO, Jan. 17.—(By the Associated Press)—Fire at Fukuoka destroyed 500 buildings this morning and was still burning at noon. A large number of public buildings, two theatres, the telephone exchange and a department store were burned.

Fukuoka is a city at the mouth of the river Naka, on the coast of the Bay of Hakata. Its population is 82,106.

## Scholarship For American Girl Singers

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Mme. Maria Jeritza of the Metropolitan Opera Co., has established a scholarship for American girl singers in Paris, in gratitude of the welcome she had received from the American public and has selected Miss Susan Steidl of this city as the first holder, it was announced today. Miss Steidl, who is appearing in a Broadway play, was selected from more than 100 girls. She is the daughter of a New York editorial writer.

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## AMUSEMENT NOTES

**B. F. KITCH'S THEATRE**

One of the biggest weeks' opening of the present season has characterized the attendance at the B. F. Kitch theatre this far. The quality of the performance given is at its every particular. Specialty La Verge, in their specialty, "The Great Escape," is a delightful satire known as "The Great Escape." Then there are Freda and Anthony, in a side-splitting wop act, which has some decidedly new variations. The Gallagher and Shean song-dance act, and a present of a delightful equestrian act, and a present of a new act on marital fun, called "The Co-Eds." It is a sight to see. Among others who appear are Emil Horro, a delightful comedian, the Rose Revue, which has much good dancing, and the comedy acrobatics of Boy and Boyer.

**THE STRAND**

"Secrets of Paris," a screen version of Eugene Sue's most famous novel, "Mysteries of Paris," is due for a three days' presentation at the Strand, beginning on Thursday. The works of the famous French novelist are among the most widely read in this country. In most of the high schools and colleges Sue holds a commanding place in the world of literature. His books are filled with romance, thrilling incidents which are based more on fact than fiction. Sue lived at a time when France was the most notorious city in the world, and he traveled with the most notorious set in order to get material for his works. His great work, "Mysteries of Paris," has been a guide for hundreds of fiction writers, including such authors as Victor Hugo, Charles Dickens and our own Edgar Allan Poe. The screen story of Sue's original version and reflects as no other picture of the word picture of the author. These scenes that will prove new and interesting to present-day followers of the screen, and they must see this particular dramatization to appreciate it to the fullest. The cast engaged in its interpretation is one of the most unusual one, and includes Lew Cody, Montagu Love, Barney Stacey, Gladys Hulette, Dolores Costello, William Collier, Jr., Rose Cogan, Brice Shannon and others of equal screen note.

William Farnum in "A Self-Made Man" is the second feature, and this also brings to the silver screen another truly interesting photoplay.

**RIALTO THEATRE**

"The Real Adventure" taken from the famous novel by Harry Kitchell Webster, with Florence Vidor in the leading role, is the leading attraction of the Rialto, booking opening this afternoon. It is a woman's picture fitted with romance and feeling, and shows some wonderful acting. Other features on the same program have Jack Hoxie in "Diamond Castle," also Ruth Huxley in "The Timber Queen," also Eddie Lyons in a comedy, "Oh, Daddy."

On Thursday night Manager Hammond is inaugurating an event known as "Opportunity Night," in which every person in Lowell possessing entertaining talent is invited to participate. Three prizes, \$5, \$10 and \$5 are offered for the best performer. Leave your name and address at the box office and appear on the platform Thursday night.

**WAMESIT NATIONAL BANK**

The stockholders of the Wamesit National Bank held their regular meeting yesterday afternoon. All of the officers were re-elected, and the board of directors was also returned to office with the addition of Mr. Frank B. Kenney as a new member.

The Wamesit National Bank, under the leadership of its president, Frank B. Kenney, John K. Wither, Franklin S. Pevey, Charles H. McIntire and Harry B. Rice.

**LEGION AUXILIARY**

American Legion auxiliary to Post 8123 of Lowell held its first meeting for 1923 on Monday night, with the newly elected chairman, Mrs. Nellie Usher, presiding. A Valentine party is to be held some time in February. The new support during the coming year and asked former members to renew their membership.

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Wale Rib Pure Silk Hose - Fashioned hock, black and cordovan; regular \$2.00 value. Thursday Special **\$1.49**

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Boys' Mackinaws - 8 to 18, and Juniors' Overcoats, sizes 3 to 9. Thursday Special **\$4.95**

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Boys' Suits - With 2 pairs of pants, 8 to 17; \$9.00 value. Thursday Special **\$5.95**

Boys' Undershirts - Ecru, jersey rib, small sizes only, 3 to 5. Thursday Special **15c**

Boys' Leather or Wool Mitts - Thursday Special **39c**

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**TOILET GOODS**

Mavis Cold Cream Powder, Mavis Face Powder **50c**

For 1c extra, with every purchase of one of above Powders we will include a can of Mavis Talcum Powder - For Thursday Only.

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7-Piece Unbleached Lunchen Sets - 36 inch cloth with 6 napkins; regular price 89c. Thursday Special **59c**

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Stamped House Dresses - In pink and blue; regular price \$1.49. Thursday Special **\$1.19**

**Handkerchiefs**

Women's All Pure Linen Handkerchiefs - Odd initials only; regular 35c value. Thursday Special **25c Each**

Women's Novelty Crepe de Chine Handkerchiefs - In white and colors; regular 29c value. Thursday Special **19c**

Men's All Pure Linen Handkerchiefs - Slightly counter soiled; regular 29c value. Thursday Special **19c Each**

**RIBBONS**

Bonnet Rosettes - White, pink, blue; value 49c pair. Thursday Special **29c Pair**

9 Inch Dresden Ribbon - For Camisoles, Vestees and Bags; value 49c yard. Thursday Special **29c Yd.**

**GLOVES**

Ladies' Angora Wool Gauntlet Gloves - White, grey, grey with white, and grey with black; values \$2.25 and \$2.49 pair. Thursday Special **\$1.89 Pr.**

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## RURAL CREDIT BILL

Senator Capper's bill to provide rural credits for the benefit of the farmers is probably the best plan yet proposed to relieve this class of producers from a condition that threatened their ruin and through them the prosperity of the nation. For some time past, the farmers have found that the selling price of their products has been depressed as compared with the prices of other commodities. They slumped from the war peak inflation much more rapidly than the products of factories or various lines of manufacture. The latter were usually sold in a controlled market, whereas the farmer in his limited area had to meet active competition.

As a result the farmer found that he had to part with a load of hay or a bag of oats for articles of clothing that under the most extravagant estimates did not represent half as much labor. In other words, the farmer had to sell his products cheap and had to pay high prices for his supplies.

As a result of this condition, a vast number of farmers failed and a great many laborers left the farms to seek employment in the cities. That was a very unhealthy condition and if congress can relieve it, the entire country will thereby be benefited. The Farmers' Bloc agitated the matter in congress with the result that something is to be done.

Much of the farmer's troubles have undoubtedly resulted from the lack of proper transportation facilities. The farmers of the west could not ship their products, with the exception of wheat, to any great distance, as the freight charges would exceed the profits. Thus the farmer was deprived of the market facilities to which he had been accustomed.

Without an export market the agricultural industry cannot prosper. As a rule about 15 per cent of our exports have consisted of products of the farm.

The Capper Rural Credit bill is designed to aid the farming class by extending them credit on satisfactory security. The bill provides for the organization of private rural credit and rediscount corporations or banks with a minimum capitalization of \$250,000 each. Such credit corporations are to be under the control of the currency, it also provides for the extension of the time during which agricultural notes shall be eligible for rediscount from six to nine months.

These so-called banks are not to receive deposits, their function being to loan money, to deal in notes by rediscount and in bonds and other obligations of the United States, and to act as custodian, agent or trustee of the Federal Reserve. The bill is claimed by its sponsors, provides ample safeguards against fraud or wild cat methods that might hamper the utility of the system. If these claims be correct the bill may serve an important purpose in helping the farmers over the difficulties of the present situation.

Another bill intended to aid the farmers is the Leavitt Amendment bill which appropriates \$60,000,000 to be administered through the Federal Farm Loan banks. It is said that these measures in no way conflict.

## SUGAR A STIMULANT

Since prohibition came, the sale of candy has increased. Why? Simply because sugar produces a sort of stimulation akin to that of alcohol, but not followed by the depressing effects of alcohol. Sugar in the stomach is like coal in the furnace. It is rapidly converted to heat and energy, but it does not build up the tissues. One of the food experts attached to the state health department recently stated that the excessive use of sugar is like burning up the furniture to keep the house warm.

Doctors point out a means of demonstrating the increased energy from the eating of sugar. They call it the finger weight test for exhaustion. Hitch a small weight, say about two ounces, to your fore finger, then with your hand parallel to the floor, count how many times you can raise and lower the finger and its attached weight. After a certain number of times your finger will become exhausted and the little weight will seem to weigh a ton. Try the same experiment after eating several lumps of sugar and you will be able to lift the little weight on your finger perhaps a fifth more times than before eating the sugar. This, however, should not lead to the excessive use of sugar which would burn the furniture to keep the house warm.

## IMMIGRATION

Since the percentage limit was imposed upon immigration from foreign countries, there has been a great deal of cruelty practised by the steamship lines in bringing intending immigrants to these shores who were turned by law. Either they were inadmissible because of illiteracy, because the quota of their nationality was already filled or for some other reason. Authorities at Washington are to blame for this. They should do the sifting on the other side and allow none to embark for the United States without the necessary passport to enter.

The heart-rending scenes enacted at Ellis Island in the deportation of families that came here in good faith and with every reason to believe that they would be admitted, should not be repeated.

For the present the percentage law is to be maintained except that it may be relaxed in special cases in order to admit refugees from other lands. It is said that 25,000 Armenian orphans are to be brought here. If they are admitted, we may expect

## SEEN AND HEARD

If you can't get yourself together you can't get anything else together.

The reason kids leave home is to go to picture shows.

Why is it a day off often becomes an off day?

What you think of yourself doesn't count until you prove it.

In Akron, O., a pup of three months saved nine lives. No telling how many a grown dog would have saved.

Long-haired cats are said to be the best, but a girl tells to many a famous cat has bobbed hair.

A thought: Sweet day, so cool, so calm, so bright. The birds of the earth are singing. The dew shall wet thy feet tonight. For thou must die.

—George Herbert.

Legal Advice: "I may have some trouble in getting you out of this. You'd better plead insanity." "But, lawyer, I'm sane. I'm sane as sane can be. I'm sane, but as long as I am in court keep it to yourself."—Hillingham Age-Herald.

Worked on Shore: "Do you remember how our profiteering old friend Cassius Rex, when he was a boy, wanted to run away and be a pirate?" "Yes," replied Sam. "Sorgium." "He changed his mind, at least to the extent of not running away."—Washington Star.

Jackling Sermons: According to the ten-year-old daughter of a certain clergyman, there are ways of making an old sermon seem almost new. "Jane," said one of the friends of the young cleric, "does your father ever preach the same sermon twice?" "Oh, think, perhaps he does," said Jane, cautiously, "but I think he talks and so in different places the second time, so it doesn't sound the same at all."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Misunderstood: One of the speakers at a recent dinner said: "I know a salesman who was trying to sell tractor tires. He had an old colored farmer in Virginia readily bought a tractor from him and a few days after the machine's delivery the salesman turned up on the porch and said: 'You pay me for the tractor, don't you?' he asked. 'Pay for the tractor?' said the old man. 'His eyes widened with astonishment and said: 'Why, yes, you done told me dat in free weeks de tractor would pay for itself.'—Mobile Register.

They Were Insulted: Feeling they had a grievance over a certain matter, the weavers in a mill decided to send two of their number to interview the owners. The owners told all they had to say, and then talked to them at length, telling them, among other things, that they were too fastidious. On getting back to the mill the others at once crowded around them to know how they had got on. One of the men said: "Well, they said, 'Why, what?' 'Well,' came the reply, 'we and told all about it he called us too fastidious.'"

Wives Are Terrible: "I didn't why women want to nag so," complained Mr. Wombat. "What's wrong now?" "There's always something wrong. Either I'm home too long or I'm home too long. I'm home too long, I get dandruff on my coat collar or soup on my vest. It's this, that, and the other. My wife is always finding some flaw." "They mean it for our good, old man," advised his sagacious friend. "A wife wants her husband to appear to his best. To keep him so is a labor of love." "Will it always be that way?" "I fear so. Even if you were an angel you might well find a feather misplaced now and then."

Some Stone Throwing: Jones had been trying to find a house to rent, and for about a year had secured nothing and with nothing to show for his efforts. But all at once, in a twinkling, he was plentiful, but none were vacant. Feeling very fed up, he was glancing down the "For Rent" column of his evening paper when he suddenly came to a halt. "What is it, dear?" asked his wife. "At last, he has most wanted. 'The very thing.' 'To let, modern, well-built house at a low rent, within a stone's throw of the station for a single moment.' Having read this, Jones made a dash for the telephone and fixed up an appointment the same day. Meeting the owner of the house, he was shown the house, which was about two miles away. Just as they reached the gate, Jones turned to the owner and said: "I don't think you will show me over the house now, but you might introduce me to the man who threw that stone!"

A Little Brown Bird: A brown little bird in a wooden cage. But his throat was sweet with melody. And his song was bright as the stars at night.

That shine on a silent earth—He trifled, and murmured, and chirped and sang as he could be—As happy as he could be—And it seemed to us—oh, so small he was!

Like a splendid mystery. That a song, as great as his song, could dwell.

In the heart of a feathered thing—And we stood aside and our eyes were wide.

And the notes that he could sing!

A brown little bird in a wooden cage. In a cluttered wooden cage. But his voice was strong as his cheery song.

And he never seemed to stop! And I wonder not if he could there. Had ever a wistful dream.

Of flying out where the skies are wide. And the weary cloud-ships gleam. I wonder if he could know the thrill.

Of the birds that are not tame! But his song was gay as a songbird's. And it crushed the thoughts that came.

A brown little bird in a wooden cage. What a message he could give. To folk who mean and who would and who are green.

At the way that they must live! Just to sit all day on a little perch. With his head held on one side.

And not know that the trees are green. That the earth is broad and wide.

A little bird in a wooden cage. A little bird in a wooden cage. Makes the world seem fair and beyond compare.

And a whole lot more complete!—By MARGARET E. SANISTER, in the Christian Herald.

REFERENDUM ON SUNDAY SPORTS: HARTFORD, Conn., Jan. 17.—To obtain the opinion of 50,000 church people in Connecticut on the question of legalizing professional baseball on Sundays, the legislative committee of the Connecticut Federation of Churches, at a meeting, devised plans to hold a referendum.

On the question of Sunday sports the members generally favored limiting to amateurs, but in view of the known fact that professional sports are, now, the rule in many states, though not legalized, the committee decided to obtain the consensus of church members throughout the state and to be guided by the return.

## Tom Sims Says

An actor of 64 has married for the third time. He is considered one of our greatest comedians.

The huge auto show held in New York was a result of Dr. Coups, auto suggestion expert being there.

An alley cat won a first prize in a recent cat show so it must have been the first prize for meowing.

Four brothers live in Young America, Minn., whose aggregate age is 352.

A man who forgot his girl Christmas tells us she has written him and had to use asbestos paper.

It is estimated poison booze will kill 1200 people in 1923 and up to you if you are among them.

In Tracy, Cal., a farmer who sowed a field from an airplane hopes it was the right field.

France will increase her taxes 20 per cent. War never pays, but the taxpayer never escapes paying.

Pennsylvania professor says boys are growing better and girls worse, so girls will say it is the only way either could grow.

The presidential race, which doesn't start until next year, is at its height right now.

Reader asks if fat people have weighty reasons for reducing. Yes.

Willard says he can get in shape for a bout with Dempsey, which may be about the height of foolishness.

Those who have buttons missing may be glad to learn several laundries have burned recently.

MAN ABOUT TOWN: After working 42 years in one factory Jean Baptiste Antaya is "comfortably fixed for the rest of his life."

He retires. This is in Attleboro. On the same day Mrs. Anna Hopwood, of the same factory, retires after working 25 years. Both say they enjoyed working for 45 hours. Then leisure became so monotonous that they began hunting jobs. Most of us, when we think we want to quit work for good, merely need a short vacation.

Our bodies are machines for storing and utilizing energy. A machine rusts out faster than it wears out, a fact which is known only to the idlers.

I see that the street department is engaged in clearing street intersections on car-line routes so that motor vehicles can pass. This is the best that can be done under present conditions.

In future the street department will have to fight snow storms along new lines, which will include the clearing of streets by truck snowplows.

The big trucks of the American Hide and Leather company did a fine job yesterday in clearing Rogers street and making it passable to motor vehicles. They made several trips up and down Rogers street from Perry street to High street, piling up the snow on either side so that motor vehicles can pass through without difficulty.

I notice that in New York chiropractic clinics are prohibited, and according to the statement of the attorney general, it has been illegal for many years to practice the chiropractic art in that state. Yet it seems to be permitted in this state. It is a comparatively new form of treatment and consists in adjusting the joints of the spine by hand and thereby effecting the cure of certain diseases. It is not thus far recognized by the medical profession as being based on well established principles.

THE HARD COAL SITUATION EXPLAINED: The general committee of the Anthracite Coal Operators in Pennsylvania sends out the following statement explaining the shortage in hard coal:

437 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, January 15, 1923.

With an indicated shortage of approximately 10 per cent in the supply of anthracite, there has been a further heavy loss of production due to "out-law strikes" since Sept. 11, when the miners reopened.

According to a compilation just completed by the anthracite bureau of information, the operations of 13 companies were shut down for a total of 56 days between Sept. 11 and Dec. 15, and more than 15,500 men were involved in the suspensions.

This does not take into consideration the production lost on account of holidays.

At one colliery 1950 men stopped work for four days and deprived the public of 7200 tons of coal because the company refused to discharge a miner. The miner in question offended the union by producing more coal in a day than the union rules permitted, and then refused to pay the fine imposed by the union.

At another colliery 1500 mine workers went out for five days and lost 12,500 tons of production, because some union carpenters employed on construction work refused to join the miners' union as well as their own organization. It was not until a former official of the miners' union, now a mediator for the United States department of labor, advised the miners that they could not expect the carpenters to belong to two unions that the men resumed producing coal.

Four miners were suspended for loading dirty coal at one mine, where upon 500 men struck for a day on the four occasions, with a total loss in production of \$500 tons.

Three so-called "button strikes" involving questions of union discipline in three collieries, operated by one company, kept 247 men out of work and caused a loss in production of 1600 tons. In another colliery operated by the same company 594 men struck for two days to force the discharge of a foreman. The production loss in this case amounted to 1705 tons.

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## AT THE BUTLER SCHOOL

Excellent Program Prepared

For "Parents Night" by

District Schools

The Butler grammar school will hold a "Parents Night" next Friday evening. The pupils of all of the schools in the Butler district are to give an excellent program of entertainment, and the parents of the district have been invited to attend. The program:

Selection of the Day's Orchestra: Leo Daly, Butler School, 1915

Welcome: Grades 3 and 4

Doll Drill: Grades 1 and 2

Russian Dance: Katherine Fay and Marion Peppard

Parade Drill: Grade 3

Making a Cake: Grade 4

Mary Tucker: Evelyn Harrows

Skirt Dance: Teresa Gilmarlin

Imperations and Novelty Dance: Margaret Moonos

Trials at Headquarters: Donald Parker

Santa Claus: Dorothy "Nell" Iwawho

Margaret Burgoine: Grade 3

Frederick Casey: Grade 4

Benjamin Kahn: Grade 4

William Blodgett: Grade 4

Erle Beauregard: Eva Bettencourt

Edna Clayton: Raymond Fall, Frank Kennedy

Dept. of Physical Education: Using the Word.

Miss Hays: Bookworm, Principal of Young Ladies' School

School Girls: Mary James, Christina Pendergast

Fanny Young: Mabel Morrill

Hetty Smith: Charlotte Knox

Kittie Jones: Rosa Cardella

Charles Hawlowe Smithers: Helen McDonald

Miss Paulina Smithers: Florence Crosby

Miss Robert Smithers: Doris Mooney

Miss Starch: Ellen Regan

Selection: The Man Without a Country

William Caldwell, Elizabeth Tumelty, Lorella Tighe, Irene Roche, Margaret Burgoine, Ruth Good

held: Marion Miner, Alfred Kay, Raymond Campbell, Harold Noble, Joseph McAdams, Ernest Hanson

Hazel Drille: Bernice Devine, Katherine McDonlad

leaders: Katherine Fay, Dorothy Wilson, Rose McGlinchey, Gladys Gleason, Marion Cox, Irene Russell, Hazel Johnson, Charlotte Miller, Mary Sullivan, Gladys Wilson, Marion Peppard, Helen Roche, Mary McQuade, Barbara Dunsford, Martin Heyworth, Grace McPherson

Grandma's Birthday Party: Class in Cookery

Grandma: Beatrice Needham

Grandfather: Alice Lybrand

The Maid: Ruth Quinn

The School Teacher: Ruth Quinn

Soloists: Glenn Heaney, Mary Harrington, Alice Tumelty, Dorothy Lefloche, Florence Cassidy, Mabel Powers, Martha Clegg, Mildred Herndon

Dancers: Marion Terrell, Beatrice Needham

Volta Accompanist: Selma Brooks

Piano Accompanist: Grace Walker

Race Horses: Prohibition, Spirits

Piano Selection: William Hoyle

(Butler School, 1922)

The Greatest Day of the Year: The Palace of Time

Characters: Father Time: John Mountford

Herold: Robert Coughlin

The Four Seasons and Their Attendants: Spring, Summer, Autumn, Winter, Rain, Snow, Fog and Sunshine

(Herald announces the holidays as they appear)

Finals: Daily's Orchestra

Accompanist: William Hoyle

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Stage Hands: R. Simonton, C. Collier

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## Berton Braley's Daily Poem

HI, THERE, BILLY!

"Hi, there, Billy! Yotta see, What the gang of us is diggin'! It's a cave! It's gonna be— Gee, it's gonna be a big 'un. It'll be a secret spot, Say, us kids'll be in clover, We'll be pirates, like as not. Hi, there, Billy, come on over!"

So Youth calls across to Youth, Seeking comrades of a feather, Kids who know the simple truth, Fun is better shared together. Not for them the lonely way; City-bred or country rover, Every normal boy will say, "Hi, there, Billy, come on over!"

There's a moral in this song, One I think of stealing merit; Joy will last you twice as long If there's someone else to share it. How blind hate would flicker out, It—from Timbuctoo to Dover— Men and nations, too, would shunt. "Hi, there, Billy, come on over!"

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## Coach Wants "Eleven Raving Maniacs"

DETROIT, Jan. 17.—Adolph (H.Germany) Shultz, once a University of Michigan football star and newly appointed coach of the University of Detroit squad, wants "eleven raving maniacs" under his guidance when Detroit opens the season this fall. "You can't beat eleven raving maniacs with football heads," he told Detroit students and alumni at a reception here last night.

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of Lowell chapter No. 5, Disabled American Veterans of the World War.

In a most happy speech extending congratulations and best wishes and praising work for the boys who fought the good fight, Charles Henry McDermott, representing the chapter, personally formally presented the gold watch and prolonged applause.

The recipient of the remembrance, taken completely by surprise, warmly expressed his thanks for the splendid gift, and in tears explained that while he did not deserve the valued gift, in his opinion, he felt that if the chapter comrades responsible for the token of loyalty and faith appreciated what he had tried to do as their active commander, his cup of joy was full.

The retiring officer, admonishing the boys to "keep out in front" in the future as in the past and promised them earnest support in all chapter activities to the very best of his ability.

#### Speech by the Mayor

More applause for Harry and the boys then gathered down front to formally extend the hand of good-fellowship to their beloved comrade in arms, His Honor, Mayor Donovan.

The mayor was introduced as "Our Jack," and was perceptibly pleased with the fervor of his greeting. He said in part:

"Comrades of the Disabled American Veterans of the World War:

"At the outset allow me to say that it surely gives me the greatest of pleasure to be with you comrades here tonight. Looking around this hall I see many familiar faces, and in fact there are but a few here whom I do not know."

"When I received the postal card notifying me of this installation, I was amazed by the announcement that 'Chow' was to be served. That surely in like old times, I can remember when we tramped through the mud and rain 'over there,' that none of us cared whether they called 'chow' or anything else. It was just something to eat with me, and I know all of you men felt the same about it."

"But to be serious, comrades. This organization of ours is a great thing for the disabled veteran. You officers during the past have worked hard for its success. I know personally that Commander Harry F. O'Sullivan has been a hard worker from morning until night. I could mention a host of others of this organization who have worked hard."

"I just ask you to be loyal to your officers at all times. Give them your support. They will need it to accom-

plish things. With the united support of this organization many worthy things can be accomplished."

"As mayor of this city, I want to wish you all the success possible for your chapter. I can assure you that our organization will have my support as always, be willing to aid you in the promotion of worthy movements by this organization."

#### Employment for Veterans

Mayor Donovan referred to the war veterans' anxious efforts to secure employment for the heroes unable to find work in Lowell. He promised to do everything possible to secure useful positions for them, but asked them to be patient. He referred to the list of names, some of whom had been placed there by a former administration contrary to the rules and regulations of the civil service, and said that in the future this would not happen while he was in the mayor's chair.

He paid his respects to the Lowell war veterans in all organizations and expressed his entire sympathy with their efforts to better themselves, pointing his whole support whenever possible to the employment for veterans in need. The mayor's reference to employment conditions and his cordially expressed desire to help the heroes better themselves by securing regular employment in their home city, pleased them with an outburst of applause that lasted several minutes.

In his valedictory, Past Commander O'Sullivan gave statistics of much work performed in aid of disabled veterans. During the past year 76 cases have been adjudicated with the United States Veterans' bureau. In other vital cases, fully 35 per cent. have been handled successfully in favor of the war heroes asking for succor or relief compensation, he said. He reviewed the successful "Forget-Me-Not" campaign conducted on November 4 last, and thanked the people of Lowell and surrounding towns who nobly responded to the disabled veterans' urgent appeals for financial aid.

Previous to the installation of new officers, the veterans and guests arose and stood for one minute with bowed heads in impressive remembrance of the war heroes who have departed down the Long Trail.

In accepting his new duties, Commander Dodge, after paying cordial respects to Past Commander O'Sullivan, thanked his comrades for the honor extended to him, said he realized the immensity and responsibility of the duties ahead of him, and asked the members' close co-operation at all

times and believed sincerely that he would receive it. The applause that followed his brief message made the new leader happy.

#### Buffet Lunch Served

After the initiation ceremonies and presentation, the meeting was thrown open to the entertainers, a buffet lunch was served and cigars distributed. Among those who delighted the veterans with music, singing, etc., were William Quinn, pianist, member of old fighting division; Comrade Kenney, vocal soloist; Michael Brennan, tenor soloist; Edward Lennon, with popular songs of the day, and others.

Features of the decorations last evening were displays of numerous flags, including a large silk American banner at the platform, and two magnificent baskets of cut flowers, one on each side of the speaker's rostrum. The gift of Florist John J. Moloney, a warm supporter and friend of Lowell chapter.

#### War Records of New Officers

The new officers of Lowell chapter all had notable service records in the great war. Commander Dodge saw hard service in a valiant combat division in France on the first line of an American contingent, was wounded in the forehead and also in the chest by shrapnel, and also received a machine gun bullet in the campaign north of Chateau Thierry.

with the 80th machine gun company, Fifth United States division, also a part of the first contingent. He was badly wounded in the thigh and right leg in action, disabled and cited for showing exceptional gallantry under heavy fire. He was once cited by Lieut. Gen. Omar Bundy, who then commanded the Second United States Army.

The adjutant for 1923 installed last night was attached to the 101st infantry of the old 28th division, saw service first on the Mexican border in 1915, and continued in service throughout the world war. He left the ranks a sergeant. He was formerly a member of old Lowell M. company, of the Ninth regiment, M.V.M.

The new chaplain served with distinction with the dandy 42d division, the right arm of the 26th division in the American forces, and was wounded in the Argonne during that big offensive when the "Yanks" swept all before them. His right arm was paralyzed by shrapnel wounds, and today he still carries three German machine gun bullets in his right breast.

An old regular army "vet" in truth, he remembers the old-time days when he was pretty close to Major General Edwards for the first time, only the "M.J." was simply a major in those days, down around the Panama canal zone during the years 1912-13. He continued in service and saw hard fighting throughout the world war, attached to the combat division of a popular fighting army corps.

## ENGLISH COMPOSITION

Advanced Instruction to Be Provided Through State University Extension Class

Advanced instruction in English composition will be made available, in Lowell this month through a state university extension class, it was announced by the Massachusetts department of education today. The course, consisting of ten weekly lessons, will be held at the Lowell high school, and

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## COURSE IN INTERIOR HOME DECORATION

Lowell housewives who wish to be thoroughly up-to-date are making the most of their opportunity to register for the course in "Interior Home Decoration," a series of six lectures, beginning next Friday, Jan. 19, at 7:15 o'clock and continuing for five consecutive Fridays. The Girls' City club is the place of meeting.

The course is offered by the division of university extension, Massachusetts department of education, and is free except for a registration fee of \$2 per person, which covers cost of literature and materials. Miss Alice E. Sullivan of the Girls' City club is the local leader in charge. She will be very glad to receive registrations at once, either by mail or telephone. It is not necessary to be a member of the Girls' City club in order to join.

The course is exceedingly practical, and consists of six lectures as follows: Color and planning of color schemes; woodwork and wall treatment; floors and floor coverings; pictures, lighting fixtures and lamps, table covers, doliens, sofa pillows, bric-a-brac.

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## GREYHOUND JACQUETTES

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JOHN F. MORAN, Sec.-Treas.

# BANKS ARE IN TALKED ON, DELUSIONS

Commissioner Allen Says  
Mass. Banks Stronger  
Than for Several Years

Have Been Steadily Improving, Particularly in Last Year, Says Report

BOSTON, Jan. 16.—Massachusetts banks today are in a stronger position than for several years, Bank Commissioner Joseph C. Allen said in his annual report submitted to the legislature today.

"It is a pleasure to state," the report said, "that the conditions surrounding the banks under the supervision of this department have been steadily improving, the past year being noteworthy in banking readjustment. Many difficult problems and unsatisfactory conditions of the last few years have disappeared, and banks are in a stronger position than for several years."

Referring in detail on the liquidation of four trust companies in Boston taken over by his department in 1920, the commissioner said that an assessment of 100 cent. on the shareholders had been made. Deposits in the 120 savings banks of the state showed an increase in the last year of \$30,225,000, an amount exceeding by twice in their history, he reported. The 209 co-operative banks, with total assets of \$225,951,307, showed an increase of \$28,431,000 in the year, the largest increase since the first banks of this kind were formed.

Total resources of trust companies in the state increased \$55,275,600 during the year. One new trust company opened for business—the Bancroft Trust Co. of Worcester, with a capital of \$200,000. However, as a result of consolidations, there was a net decrease of four in the number of trust companies.

The commissioner's report devoted much space to progress made in the liquidation of four trust companies in Boston taken over by the department in 1920—the Hanover, Prudential, Commercial and Tremont. "Litigation both in respect to collections and to the determination of many of the fundamental questions concerning the relative rights of the savings and commercial departments of the banks continues to be extensive," the report said.

The expenses in the liquidation of the four companies paid to October 31, last, were placed to \$13,133, about 2.1 per cent. of the total value of the total assets of the companies at the time they were taken over, which amounted to \$41,188,241. The total income of the four banks during the same period was \$1,258,231, and the cash collection \$17,508,362. In a detailed report on the Tremont Trust Co.'s affairs, the commissioner said: "The commission has determined that an assessment upon stockholders of the bank in the amount of 100 per cent. will be necessary for the protection of creditors. Some stockholders have voluntarily met their obligations. Against others the assistance of the court must be invoked, but until a decision is obtained from the superior court as to the method of proceeding in these cases, the institution will be postponed."

Noting that there are now 231 suits brought by or against the Tremont Trust Co. in the courts of Suffolk county alone, the report continued: "Large net losses to both the savings department and the commercial department will arise from the Swig family loans, so called, which amount at the present time to approximately \$550,000. The bankruptcy of Simon Swig, the fact that two of his sons are in the Poor Debtor court, that the Chocolate Co., formerly administered by one son, is in bankruptcy without assets, that the Keene Shoe Co. and the Raymond-Swig-Malley Co., formerly administered by other sons, have ceased business substantially without assets, that the C. R. Dean Co., administered by yet another son, has made an assignment for the benefit of its creditors, taken together with the fact that the nominal makers of the so-called Swig Accommodation notes have been found to be either financially worthless or without liability for the notes signed by them, make it probable that little or nothing will be collected upon this indebtedness."

A claim for \$150,000 presented by Simon Swig's money advanced to the trust company for its use and benefit and claims of his son, Louis Swig, for \$75,000 alleged professional services and \$25,000 for legal services and for publicity, advertising and other services have been rejected by the commissioner.

## OUTLOOK FOR INDUSTRY NEVER SO GOOD

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—Charles M. Schwab, chairman of the Bethlehem Steel corporation, believes that the grouping of every steel company in this country under one head would be a good thing, economically, but in expressing this opinion at a banquet of state bankers last night, declared he was not advocating it "for many reasons" which he did not elaborate.

He referred to the merger of the Lackawanna Steel Co. with the Bethlehem Steel as an illustration of what economies would be effected in overhead and other charges by combined operation. In the two months of this combined operation between \$1,000,000 and \$1,500,000 had been saved, he said.

He predicted that the United States would be the workshop of the world and that the outlook for industry was never so good as at present.

## Gen. De Goutte Issues Ultimatum

DUESSELDORF, Jan. 16.—(By the Associated Press)—The Rhenish Westphalian mining directors received final orders from General De Goutte today to resume coal deliveries to France and Belgium tomorrow morning at the latest. Otherwise further penalties would be applied he announced.

The mining directors, who attended the meeting and met Generals Simon and Desvignes of the commission of control were informed that the occupation of Dortmund was a penalty imposed because of the German government's prohibition upon coal deliveries. The German representatives said after the conference they were not permitted to discuss General De Goutte's order with the commissioners.

## To Study Plan to Prevent Strikes

HAVERHILL, Jan. 16.—Mass meetings of 15,000 members of the Shoe Workers' Protective Union, scheduled to act this week on the new wage agreement drawn up by their representatives and those of the Manufacturers' Association have been put over until next week, it was announced today. The delay was made in order to give the members a chance to study the agreement, which aims to prevent strikes or lock-outs for a two-year period.

## Eastern Mass. Ry. Wants to Run Jitneys

BOSTON, Jan. 16.—Permission for the operation of motor buses was requested today of the department of public utilities by the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway Co. Officials said they desired the authority to open a jitney feeder service when they felt such plan advisable.

## Culhane Not One of Mint Robbers

CHICAGO, Jan. 16.—Receipt of a telegram from the Denver police resulted today in the freeing of Daniel Culhane, arrested Sunday night as a suspect in connection with the mint robbery on Dec. 18. The telegram stated photographs and finger prints of Culhane were not those of any of the mint robbers. Culhane also gave the police a satisfactory alibi.

## Govt. Regulation of Stock Exchanges

ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 16.—Strict governmental regulation of all stock exchanges declared essential to the breaking up of illegal business combinations, was urged by the Lockwood joint legislative committee on housing today in its final report to the state senate on its three and half year investigation of the building trades. The committee found the need for regulation most clearly manifested in the matter of absolute control by the New York stock exchange of ticker reports of stock and bond quotations, exercise of which control, it was declared, could drive any brokerage firm out of business without the right of appeal to any court or other body.

## Judge Alton B. Parker Married

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—Judge Alton B. Parker, democratic candidate for president in 1904, and Amelia Day Campbell were married at the Hotel Berkeley this afternoon by the Rev. John Roush Stratton, pastor of Calvary Baptist church.

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## To Study Plan to Prevent Strikes

HAVERHILL, Jan. 16.—Mass meetings of 15,000 members of the Shoe Workers' Protective Union, scheduled to act this week on the new wage agreement drawn up by their representatives and those of the Manufacturers' Association have been put over until next week, it was announced today. The delay was made in order to give the members a chance to study the agreement, which aims to prevent strikes or lock-outs for a two-year period.

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CHICAGO, Jan. 16.—Receipt of a telegram from the Denver police resulted today in the freeing of Daniel Culhane, arrested Sunday night as a suspect in connection with the mint robbery on Dec. 18. The telegram stated photographs and finger prints of Culhane were not those of any of the mint robbers. Culhane also gave the police a satisfactory alibi.

## Govt. Regulation of Stock Exchanges

ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 16.—Strict governmental regulation of all stock exchanges declared essential to the breaking up of illegal business combinations, was urged by the Lockwood joint legislative committee on housing today in its final report to the state senate on its three and half year investigation of the building trades. The committee found the need for regulation most clearly manifested in the matter of absolute control by the New York stock exchange of ticker reports of stock and bond quotations, exercise of which control, it was declared, could drive any brokerage firm out of business without the right of appeal to any court or other body.

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SEVILLE, Spain, Jan. 16.—Alejandro Lerroux, the radical leader and deputy, in the course of a speech relative to the responsibility for the disaster to the Spanish arms in Morocco today pleaded for a complete change in the Spanish system of government.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—Benjamin Franklin, first postmaster-general, will be honored tomorrow by the post-office department, which will observe the 217th anniversary of his birth at Boston and the first day of "Thrifty week" by the issuance of the new one-cent stamp bearing a portrait of Franklin different from that on the present eight cent stamp.

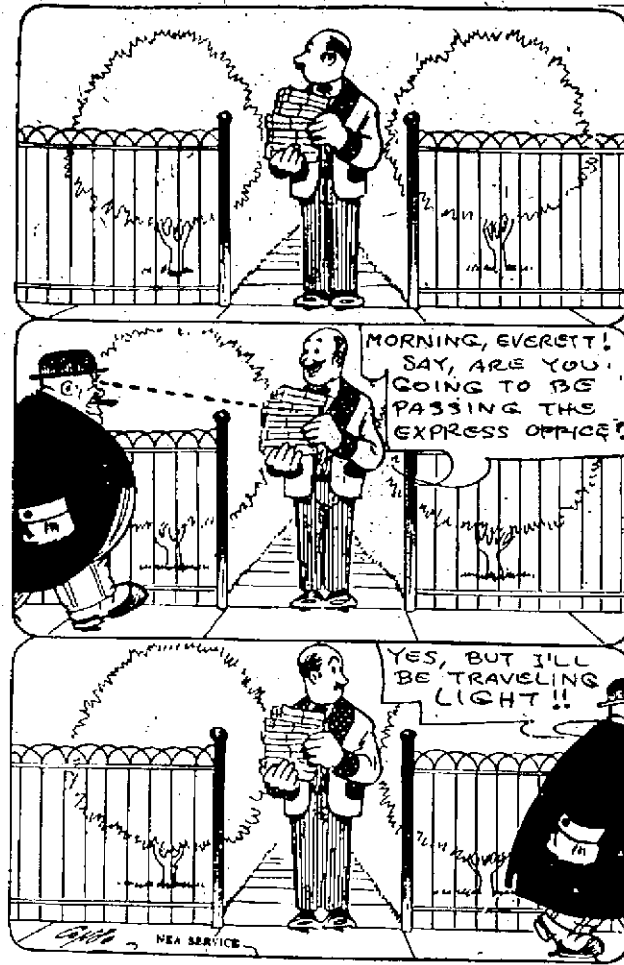
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COHASSET, Jan. 16.—When Police Chief Bates answered a summons to the home of Charles H. Litchfield today he found Litchfield dead on the floor. Thomas W. Whitcomb, who was present was placed under arrest.

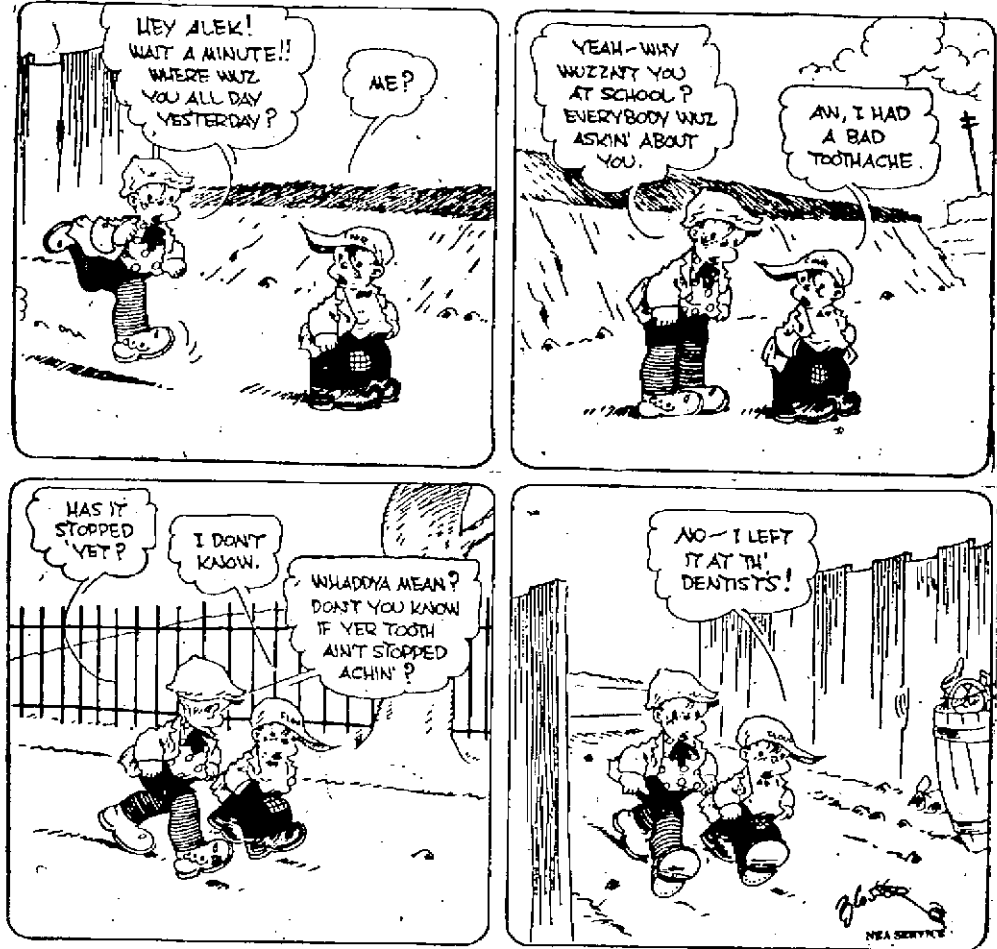
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METHUEN, Jan. 16.—James Rochefford, aged 45 years, committed suicide at his home today by inhaling illuminating gas.

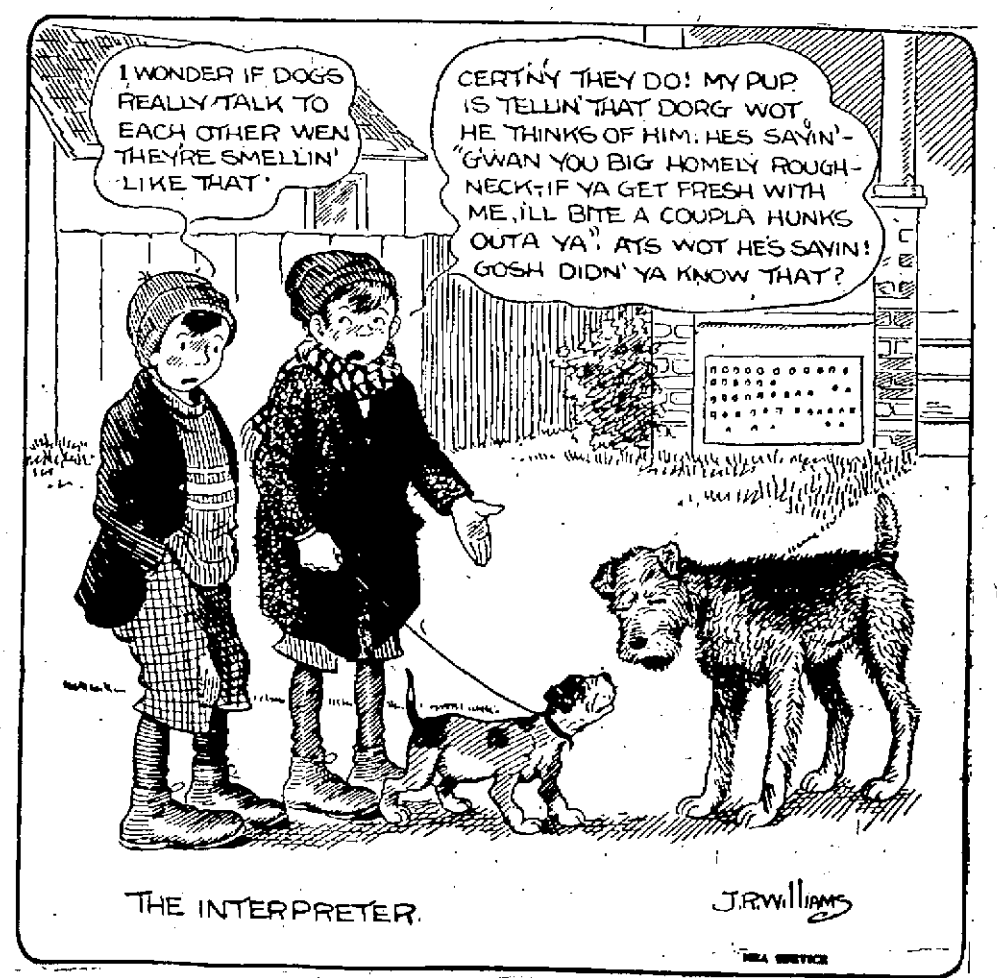
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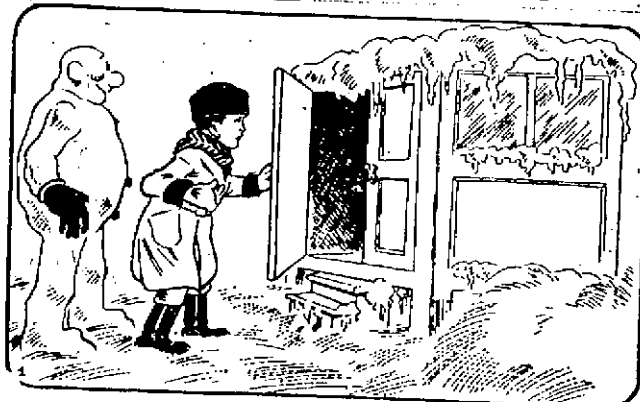
Verses by Hal Cochran

Draw in the missing lines and then color the picture



This train announcer is the man  
Whom you'll hear loudly shout,  
The time your train will choo, choo in  
And when 'twill choo, choo out.

## Jack Daw on Icicle Isle. Chapter 7



Jack was very interested. It was the first time he had ever seen homes made out of iceboxes. He joined the snowmen in their approach to one of the houses and then inspected it. The little door opened when Jack pressed down on a handle just like on the icebox in Jack's home.



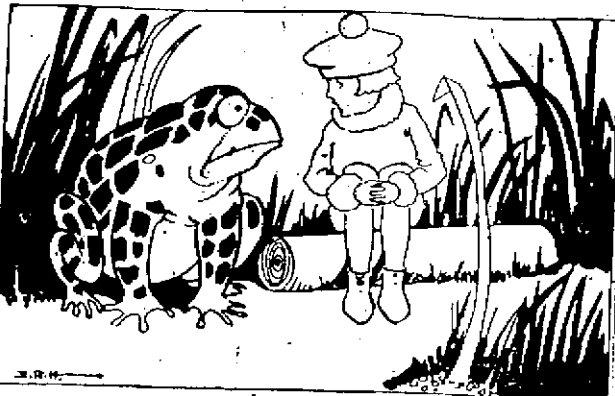
"Do you ever keep anything to eat in these iceboxes?" asked Jack. "Oh, no," replied a snowman, "we don't have to. You see, the only thing we eat is ice cream, and that grows on the ice cream cone trees in Frost Town." "Well, then," said Jack, "what is that garden back of the house for?"



"Come on back and we'll show you," shouted another snow fellow. When they reached the edge of the garden, this snow man leaned over and picked something. Holding it up he said, "This is an icepick. You surely have heard of icepicks. Well, this is where they come from." (Continued.)

## Adventures of The Twins

PHIL'S WINTER REST



"HELLO, PHIL!" CRIED NICK, RUNNING UP AND DROPPING BESIDE HIM.

Phil Frog sat on the bank of Rimple creek, coughing hoarsely. "Ker-chug! A hunk! Ker-chug! A hunk!" It sounded as though Phil should have some of his strings tightened like a fiddle that needs tuning. Nancy and Nick and Dusty Coat, the sandman fairy, appeared around a rock just then and came upon poor Phil, sitting there and looking yellow and wilted like a faded green apple that has fallen off the tree before it had a chance to get ripe, and begun to wither up.

"Ker-chug! A hunk!" began Phil, when suddenly he spied his visitors. He stopped and blinked his eyes sleepily, and scrunched an empty sort of smile. "Hello, Phil!" cried Nick, running up and dropping beside him. "Aren't you pretty cold?"

"Pretty!" nodded Phil. "Then why don't you go where it's warm?" said Nancy. "It's starting to snow and if North Wind keeps blowing, Rimple creek will soon be frozen hard."

"I know," nodded Phil. "I don't mind the cold much, but I can't get

anything to eat. The flies and mosquitoes are all gone, and I haven't anything to do but cough."

Dusty Coat lifted his bag of magic dust from his shoulder and set it on the ground.

"Well, well," he said, pulling open the string. "I think I came just in time. You need a tonic, Phil, and I have the very thing! Can you take a powder?"

"I can't! It's insect powder," said Phil, snatching a weak little joke.

"All right then," Nick this up," said Dusty Coat kindly. His powder was really "sleeping powder," you know.

Phil shot out his long tongue and did as he was told. "Ugh! It's not very good," he complained. "But I feel better already." Phil's head dropped and he gave a loud snore. He was sound asleep.

Dusty Coat and the Twins put him to bed in some nice soft mud where the cold wind couldn't hurt him. "He'll sleep till spring," said the fairy sandman with a wise wag of his head.

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GIRL CHAMP ADDS NEW CROWN

Eleanor Coleman, Milwaukee, world's champion 100-yard breast-stroke swimmer, added a new laurel when she won by making 100 yards in 1.20 at the Illinois Athletic club's swim in Chicago.



MASKED MOB'S TORTURE CHAMBER

This dilapidated hut in a lonely forest near Bastrop, La., is thought by authorities to have been the scene of the tortures which preceded the slaying of F. Watt Daniel and Thomas P. Richards by a masked mob.

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## SUMMARY OF EARLY MORNING A. P. NEWS

London Daily Express says Berlin government has decided to expel all French civilians from Germany and establish virtual state of war against France, apart from fighting.

London declares that Italy has offered to mediate between France and Germany and reparations problem.

Great Britain shows interest in report that Duke of York popped the question three times to Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon, before he got her answer "Yes."

French flag hauled down from castle outside Badens, Germany, and burgomaster apoplectic, closing incident.

Essen is skeptical over reports that Muenster, important center for beyond Ruhr area, is marked for French occupation.

Itur coal barons in statement at Hamburg, defend action in withdrawing from Essen and assert that union of French control of organization would have meant strangulation of German industry.

London Times asserts Itur situation is distinctly worse economically, that German determination is hardening, and irritation of people increases.

Sarah Bernhardt has slight relapse but is resting easily, despite growing weakness, Paris report says.

Mrs. Terence MacSwiney announces at Cleveland that she has cancelled lecture tour in United States to go to her sick daughter in Dublin.

Albert J. Lynch, successor to James P. Roberts, as head of Massachusetts prohibition field forces, assumes his new duties today.

New York Tribune says Chairman Gary of U. S. Steel Corporation urged directors to help him bring about elimination of 12-hour-day in steel industry.

## Legal Notices

Commonwealth of Massachusetts—Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Alfred Davis, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased, and to Rose Davis, widow of said deceased, alleged in the petition heretofore mentioned to be an insane person.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testamentary instrument of said deceased, presented to said Court, for Probate, by John J. Harvey, who prays that letters of executorship be issued to him,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the eighteenth day of January, 1923, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in 'The Lowell Sun,' a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be on the day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing, post-paid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court, and by delivering a copy of this citation to the said Rose Davis, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this third day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three.

F. M. ESTY, Register.

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To all persons interested in the estate of Clara B. Welch of Lowell, in said County.

Whereas, Fred Eugene Blake, conservator of the property of said Clara B. Welch, has presented for allowance, his account as such conservator.

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Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this ninth day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three.

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LADY'S GOLD WHIST WATCH lost Saturday evening on upper Merrimack street. Tel. 6224-R. Reward.

BLACK SQUARE POCKETBOOK lost from square to Corson st., off Chelmsford, toward to Butler if returned. W. Gaudette, 13 Corson st. YOUNG POLICE DOG lost on Friday, Reward, return Capt. White, 52 Main st. Tel. 3572-W.

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HELP WANTED—MALE 51  
DRESSER TENDERS wanted, one for day job in New Hampshire, \$27.50; one in Rhode Island, \$25 to \$28. Other Raymond agency, 224 Washington st. Boston.

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SHOW CARD WRITER wanted, one with department store experience preferred. Apply to Mr. Shreeves at Chaffin's.

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LIGHT HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS to let, 40 Gorham st.

FURNISHED ROOMS to let, electric lights, steam heat, private bath, 541 Westford st. Tel. Con.

FURNISHED ROOMS and rooms for light housekeeping to let, 33 Tyler st.

LARGE STEAM HEATED ROOM to let, all conveniences. Apply 111 Fort Hill ave or Tel. 4315-M.

Real Estate For Rent  
APARTMENTS—TENEMENTS 54  
6-ROOM TENEMENT to let, with hot and cold water, 150 bath. Apply 149 Chelmsford st.

6-ROOM FLAT to let, all improvements, at 164 Broadway. Call 19 Sargent st. or Tel. 5701-L.

6-ROOM STEAM HEATED FLAT to let, Delvidere, Chelmsford st. Inquire 312 Summer st. Mrs. Blanchard. Tel. 369-W.

6-ROOM TENEMENT to let, modern improvements. Rent reasonable. 399 Chelmsford st.

5-ROOM TENEMENT to let, 35 George st. Apply 365 High st. Tel. 2051-N.

5-ROOM TENEMENT to let, 3 Madison st. near St. Peter's church. Inquire 259 Gorham st.

HOUSES FOR SALE 101  
2-STORY HOUSE for sale in Wigginsville, 6 rooms, pantry, hot and cold water, hardwood floors, gas, open plan, hard wood floors, gas, to settle estate. Apply room 101 Appleton Bank Bldg. Tel. 555.

BUSINESS PLACES FOR RENT 55  
WELL LOCATED STORE to let, 55 Lakewood ave. Rent low. Apply 276 Westford st.

## TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

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via Bedford; a via Wilmington Jct. not holidays; b Sat. only.

THE SUN IS ON SALE AT THE NORTH STATION,

# THEY DINED AND DANCED CONDEMN KU KLUX KLAN

Telephone Operators and  
Workers Have Big Time in  
Elks' Hall

Success perched on the banners of the Telephone Operators' union No. 111, T.R.U.W., and the local Telephone Workers local No. 3, last evening in Elks' hall, Middle street, when a joint dinner and dance were conducted for many members and guests. Among those who partook of the delightful hospitality of the telephone workers was Manager C. J. Leathers, of the local "N.B." district, and who greatly enjoyed the evening's program provided. The hall was handsomely decorated for the event. Preceding the dinner there was given an entertaining program of vocal selections and humorous recitations. Thomas B. Delaney of Local 2 extended good wishes to all present and "congratulated" the day to Manager Leathers, too.

William F. Sandler was master of ceremonies for the evening. The program included vocal selections by Raymond Kelley, one of the T.M.C.I. minstrel stars; Miss Grace Crowley gave readings and Miss Grace Moran sang. The soprano solos by Miss Catherine Jennings were also well received. Frank Kelley spoke in recitations, and then Jack McArdle and the Dion sisters danced all the latest steps.

Harry Cole and his corps of assistants served an appetizing dinner, while the orchestra played popular air. Dancing followed. Among those present at the guest tables last evening were Manager C. J. Leathers; Charles P. Grover, district manager; D. J. Mahoney, district plant chief; Frank Watson, district traffic chief; Frank Healy, district account chief; Miss Nellie Snow, chief operator; William McIntire, district foreman; and Wilfred Johnson, chief clerk. The success of last night's affair is due to the untiring efforts and organizing prowess of the committee as follows: Charles B. Rogers, chairman; assisted by Misses Helen Moran, Anna McQuade, Gertrude O'Connor, Catherine Fuller, Joseph McGilly, Patrick McDougall, Edward Quinn and William Sandler.

## CHELMSFORD POST INSTALLS OFFICERS

The joint installation of the officers of Chelmsford post, 212, American Legion, and the Ladies' Auxiliary took place recently, the installing officers being J. Henry Gilbride and Mrs. Nellie Merrill, both of this city. The officers inducted into the office are as follows:

Chelmsford post—John H. Valentine, commander; John E. Johnson, vice-commander; John Buchanan, adjutant; E. Clifton Lakin, financial officer; Harold Hodge, chaplain; and Fred Russell, sergeant-at-arms.

Auxiliary—Mrs. Elizabeth Minor, president; Mrs. Marion Johnson, senior vice-president; Mrs. Dorothy Russell, junior vice-president; Mrs. Adeline Carr, secretary; Mrs. Edith Sargent, treasurer; Mrs. Mary Hodge, chaplain; Mrs. Melora E. Adams, historian; Grace Cummings, Mrs. Elizabeth Robinson, Mrs. Gertrude Picard, executive committee; Misses Anna Cummings and Bernadette Cleary, door bearers; Miss Ethel Booth, door guard; Miss Josephine McKeaney, press correspondent. At the close of the installation a banquet was held.

## LECTURE IN WOOD'S BUSINESS COLLEGE

The first of the series of lectures was held last night at Wood's Business college, the speaker being Mr. R. McManis, Boston manager of the Gregg Publishing company.

An audience which taxed the capacity of the large schoolroom was in attendance. Mr. McManis' subject was an unusual one, and demonstrated very clearly the difficulties which the stenographer must overcome, and the different traits which made success sure. He emphasized that good hard work, coupled with intelligent action, resourcefulness and endurance are ultimately bound to win recognition in the business world.

The second lecture of the series will be held on Friday evening of this week, with Mr. E. J. Conney, manager of the Lowell Gas Appliances store, as speaker. His subject will be "Reaching and Teaching the Public."

These lectures are free, and open to all.

# THE ROYAL ELECTRIC CLEANER

## A Complete Renovating Plant

The ROYAL Electric Cleaner with its hose and attachments comprises a complete home renovating plant.

It cleans not only rugs and carpets but walls, hangings, mouldings, books, radiators, upholstery, mattresses, wicker furniture, etc.

There are more ROYAL Electric Cleaners in use in Lowell homes than all other makes combined. Tel. 821 for free demonstration and see why.

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The Lowell Electric Light Corp.

29-31 MARKET ST.

Mass. House of Representatives  
Unanimously Adopts  
Resolution

(Special to The Sun)

STATE HOUSE, Boston, Jan. 17.—The house of representatives yesterday unanimously adopted the resolution reported by the committee on rules condemning the Ku Klux Klan.

House leaders confidently declared that it would satisfy the most ardent anti-Klanites and would likewise serve as a warning to any Ku Klux supporter that the Massachusetts legislature will not tolerate the existence of such an organization.

Following two eloquent speeches by Rep. Victor A. Jewett of Lowell, republican "whip" in the house, and Rep. Andrew P. Doyle of New Bedford, also one of the republican leaders in the lower body, the house, with 211 members voting in the affirmative and none in the negative, adopted the resolution.

"The resolution you have reported," the resolution adopted reads: "Whereas, in various portions of the country various acts of violence have been committed by persons reported to be members of an organization known as the Ku Klux Klan; and

"Whereas, there have been expressed that said organization may extend its activities to this commonwealth to the danger of the lives and property of our citizens; therefore be it

Resolved, that the house of representatives regards any such organization as a danger to American institutions; as a threat to that freedom of thought and speech guaranteed to the American people by the constitution of the United States; and as an attempt to overthrow organized government; and be it further

"Resolved, that we have complete confidence that said organization can obtain no foothold among law-abiding people of Massachusetts; that public officials will be able to protect all our citizens in their constitutional rights; and that the commonwealth will maintain its traditions of ordered liberty under the constitution."

Being purely a house matter, the resolution will not come up for action in the senate.

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## MATRIMONIAL

A very pretty wedding took place Wednesday evening, Jan. 10, in the Mahogany room, Hotel Somerset, Boston, when Miss Bertha Braverman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Braverman of 75 Washington street, Lowell, became the bride of Mr. Milton Harris, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harris, of 32 Dartmouth street, Lawrence. The ceremony was performed by Rabbi H. Solomon of the Temple Emmanuel of Lawrence. The bride wore a beautiful dress of white satin crepe and lace with a coronet veil and carried lilacs of the valley. Miss Julia Harris, sister of the bridegroom, was maid of honor and wore peach georgette. She also carried roses. Mrs. William Levine, a sister of the bride, was matron of honor and wore an orchid and silver cloth dress and carried a colonial bouquet. The bridesmaids were the Misses Emma Barasky, Rosalie Carr, Gladys and Lillian Skisid, Dr. M. Coleman Harris, a brother of the bridegroom, was the best man and the ushers were Messrs. Edward Braverman, William Levine, Ed Sperling, Roland Skisid and Dr. Berthold Skisid. During the ceremony, Dr. Harris sang "O Promise Me." The bridegroom's gift to the bride was a platinum finger ring set in diamonds and sapphires. The bride procession stood beneath a canopy of cut roses and foliage, and the hall was prettily decorated with palms, large baskets of cut roses adorned the wedding table. Dinner was served in the green room. Guests were present from Lowell, Lawrence, Boston, New York and Framingham. Mr. and Mrs. Harris left for New York and Lakewood, N. Y., and will be home after Feb. 1 at 34 Smith street, Lawrence.

## ADVERTISING CLUB EXECUTIVES MEET

The executive committee of the New England Association of Advertising clubs held its monthly meeting at the chamber of commerce rooms this afternoon. This committee consists of the presidents of the different advertising clubs throughout the district. The committee will be the guests of the Lowell Advertising club at their first annual meeting at the Girls' City club this evening at 6 o'clock.



## MOVE AGAINST IRREGULARS

Fighting in Blessington, Ireland — Many Casualties Said to Have Occurred

Considerable Firing Heard in Hills—Military Headquarters Reticent

DUBLIN, Jan. 17. (By the Associated Press.)—The public was awaiting today authoritative information regarding military operations against irregulars reported in progress in the Wicklow hills. This mountainous country has been the resort of hundreds of republicans for several months and it is stated that a thousand or more national troops, equipped with artillery are trying to round up these irregular bands. Fighting was reported in the neighborhood of Blessington yesterday in which a number of casualties are said to have occurred. Considerable firing has been heard in the hills, but the extent of the Free State operations is unknown. Military headquarters refuse either to confirm or deny the current reports.

## HIBERNIAN CARNIVAL

Second Night of Grand Carnival at Associate Hall Was Big Success

With all the grandeur and attendant features of a miniature mardi gras, the second night of the monster Hibernian carnival was held in Associate hall last evening and the six novelty stunts, equally distributed around the gallantly decorated hall, showed increasing signs of prosperity in the disposition of valuable novelties and merchandise.

Last night's attendance was greatly in excess of the opening night and proved gratifying to the energetic members of the various committees. The evening's activities got under way shortly after 8 o'clock. When General Chairman James J. McManis welcomed the gathering in appropriate terms and announced the program. The entertainment was given under the auspices of the Ladies' Auxiliary, Miss Catherine Gaffney, president, and consisted of pleasing instrumental selections by the talented Goggin trio, Frances, Margaret and John, solo by Mrs. Nora Reardon Longtin and Catherine Balfrey, and readings by Margaret Mahoney and Miss Keenan.

General dancing occupied the next place on the program and continued until midnight. Minor Doyle's orchestra furnishing the music. Several Irish airs were played and danced to during the evening as well as the popular American hits. Variety being the spice of life, numerous specialty numbers have been arranged for this evening. It being the intention of the committee in charge to provide new features on each of the succeeding nights. Division II will be responsible for the elaborate program on this, the third evening of the affair. Tomorrow night Division I will do the honors.

It is requested that holders of season tickets return their coupons to the various secretaries as soon as possible, that their names may be considered for the \$150 worth of prizes offered to holders of lucky numbers. The carnival will close tomorrow night.

**WARD OFF INFLUENZA**  
**FATHER JOHNS**  
MEDICINE  
GIVES STRENGTH

## FOR SETTLEMENT OF WAR DEBT

American Debt Commission Frankly Outlined Views to British Mission

Not to Assent to Any Plan Which Could Not Receive Approval of Congress

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—The American debt commission has frankly told the British mission, according to information today at the treasury, that it could not assent to any plan of settlement of Great Britain's war debt which could not be expected to receive the approval of congress at this session. President Harding, in an extra session of the new congress, the whole question of a settlement of the British debt would have to be held in abeyance until next year. If this congress failed to ratify an arrangement that might be entered into at this time.

It was noted that during that time conditions affecting the funding arrangement might be so changed as to require the negotiation of a new settlement. While both the British and Americans still were hopeful today that an agreement in principle would come out of the present negotiations, they plainly were not optimistic on this point as they had been. Conversations between the commission and the British mission, which had been halted today while the British awaited further instructions from London regarding terms.

## Observance of Franklin's Birthday and Thrift Week

Continued from Page One

other literature explaining the Franklin idea of saving, and telling how to save money, with suggestions for using the United States postal savings deposits or buying treasury savings certificates.

The postal employees of the city responded loyally and as a result of the idea of the well-conducted Division plan of campaign, Lowell's mail vans and trucks and even the rural delivery trucks and punks, were plastered with large colored posters, asking Lowell people to open postal savings accounts and be happy.

Large posters were also placed in the postoffice corridors, and thousands of leaflets were given away. There were little stickers also for the mail depositors who wanted them, and many were distributed before noon. Thousands of blue-tipped little stars, sized to fit ordinary envelopes, were distributed to Lowell business men and all citizens who desired them. The stars read as follows:

"Thrift is the power to save. Open a postal savings account today. Accounts may be transferred between postoffices without cost or loss of interest. One dollar opens an account. Deposits up to \$2500. Always payable on demand."

"The United States government guarantees your savings deposits. Call your postmaster for further information."

"Saving creates independence. Waste not—want not. Save and have." A sample of thrift, issued by thrift club boosters today, follows:

**One War Veteran's Record**  
Capt. James W. English, who started with \$50 after the Civil war and worked his way up until, at 53, he is a millionaire head of a chain of leading banks. He said he knew the post-war days would be "tough," so he saved "every cent." Soon the money placed in good banks began to grow until it reached a substantial sum. Thrift, he said, taught him not only to be saving of funds, but it taught him business judgment and that judgment enabled him to make progress along successful planes. Lowell printers have made no formal plans for celebrating the Franklin anniversary, but two of Lowell's oldest printers—Charles Oliver Barnes and Ephraim Livingston—who began their work in wooden cases way back in Civil war times, will meet tonight in fellowship of two at Page's restaurant, and partake of a celebration dinner.

## EX-POLICEMEN SHOT BY CHIEF

Former Officer and Companion Resisted Arrest After Disrobing Klansmen

Chief After Firing Shot Was Set Upon by Crowd and Beaten

DAYTONA, Fla., Jan. 17.—Charles Pent, a former policeman, was shot through the arm by Police Chief Jos. Osborn last night, when Pent and a companion resisted arrest after disrobing two of a band of approximately 200 klansmen who were parading. Pent and his companion, it was said, leaped from an automobile and seized the klansmen, disrobing them. The klansmen ran into the crowd that lined the streets and their identity was not disclosed. Chief Osborn was set upon by the crowd and beaten. The other klansmen did not offer to help their comrades, it was said.

## OFFICERS ELECTED FOR ENSUING YEAR

At the primary election for directors in the chamber of commerce, which was completed last night, the following candidates were nominated: President, M. H. Hill, E. B. Carney, A. K. Chadwick, Fred Church, R. Royal K. Dexter, Edward Fisher, Herford Elliott, E. J. Gilmore, C. D. A. Grasso, Charles Hobson, John Hunnewell, Robert F. Marden, John L. Warren, Albert D. Whittier, Benjamin Fowler, Harry Polard, Perry D. Thompson and Daniel H. Walker.

Ballots for the election will be mailed tomorrow and the election will close at 6 p. m. Tuesday, Jan. 23. Of the 18 nominated nine are to be elected.

## BAR ASSOCIATION TO HONOR MEMBER

Members of the Lowell Bar association are to tender a complimentary banquet next week to General Gardiner W. Pearson in honor of his appointment as first assistant district attorney of Middlesex county. Plans are now being made by a committee, of which Joseph P. Donahue is chairman. The entertainment will be in the hands of Charles A. Donahue, who promises a pleasing program. A delicate dinner will be served, and the affair will take place next Thursday evening.

ner fit for ye gods, you can well be. Mr. Barnes in the oldest printer in local De Vinne, Cheltenham and Gothic circles, and thanks the Lord that he never had to learn to run a Mergenthaler with its demands and funny fixtures. He is still a pressman now for the Ayer company, starting work for the same concern on August 12, 1865. Mr. Livingston has retired, but his health is good and his Benjamin Franklin dinner appetite O. K.

## ROYAL ARCANUM

Lowell Council, No. 8  
INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS  
Thursday Night, Jan. 18

By Joseph T. Brennan and suite of Boston, at 8 o'clock. All members invited. Luncheon will be served. FRANK S. MARSHALL, Regent. JOHN S. JACKSON, Secretary.

## DON'T FORGET

The Lawrence Y.W.H.A. Informal Dance at Epiles' Hall  
BARDOLPH'S ORCHESTRA WILL FURNISH MUSIC  
If you are looking for a good time be sure to attend.

# INJUNCTION IS REFUSED CAMPBELL'S DRUG STORE

Superior Court Rules in Connection With Local Greek Community Case

Judge Hall, of the superior court, refused yesterday to grant an injunction to restrain the faction of the Holy Trinity Greek church headed by Constantine Vargapopoulos, from seceding and establishing an independent church and also from using the church property, as petitioned for by Apostolos A. Johnson, deposed president of the local Greek community. This action was taken by Judge Hall at a hearing held at the superior court in East Cambridge after an agreement had been reached by counsel representing both parties. The court later announced that an auditor will be appointed to hear evidence in the case and the date of the hearing will be set later. The stipulations agreed by counsel for both parties are as follows:

1.—That pending the determination of this bill or until the further action of the court—  
1.—No further action will be taken by the defendants or any of them toward or in respect of any of the acts sought to be restrained in the first prayer of the bill. (Change of Name).  
2.—The defendants or any of them shall not take any step toward preventing the plaintiffs worshipping in the church building or using same for church purposes.  
3.—As respects the control of the property and money of the corporation the following agreement is hereby made: That all moneys collected from any source hereafter and all moneys now on hand belonging to the corporation shall be collected by James Kirkilis and accounted for by him to Emanuel G. Sophos; and said Kirkilis and Sophos shall turn over said moneys to William A. Hogan and Edward J. Tierney, attorneys respectively for plaintiffs and defendants, by them to be deposited in the Lowell Trust Co. of Lowell, and then held subject to check and disbursement to be made by said Hogan and Tierney for the necessary expenses of the corporation absolutely in their judgment and discretion.

4.—The property of the corporation shall be maintained and the school and other institutions of the corporation shall be maintained and kept in running order and the church shall be open to the use of all Greeks wishing to worship therein. The Holy Trinity ship to be hereafter agreed upon to be subject to further order of the court.  
5.—That the injunction or restraining order heretofore issued against the Lowell Trust Co. be dissolved and the Lowell Trust Co. be withdrawn upon and be subject to the joint check of William A. Hogan and Edward J. Tierney as heretofore agreed upon. This court action is the result of a recent break in the local community, when over 100 voters of the community members of the Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox corporation, met and voted to secede from the Holy Synod of Athens and the Patriarchate of Constantinople and later voted to depose from office President Apostolos A. Johnson, and elected Constantine Vargapopoulos to the presidency.

"Smoke is caused either by a rich fuel mixture or excess of oil in the combustion chambers."  
The stock and fixtures of Campbell's drug store at 223 Central street were sold to E. N. Lord of Bridgewater at a public auction conducted on the premises this morning by Auctioneer Walter E. Guyette, who was acting under order of the assignee, George A. Streeter of Boston. The sale was attended by about 15 men and only two of them showed any interest in the bidding. Prior to the sale the auctioneer announced that 10 per cent of the purchase price must be paid to the auctioneer immediately after the sale, the balance to be paid in 24 hours. He also stated that the goods could be allowed to remain in the store, but the purchaser would have to pay rent at the rate of \$10 a day. The stock was first sold and the first bid submitted was \$500. This amount was gradually increased by \$5's and \$10's until it reached \$1000, when it was struck off to Mr. Lord. The fixtures were then offered to the highest bidder and the first bid was \$500. This was increased to \$800, and the sale was made to Mr. Lord of Bridgewater. The purchaser when seen by The Sun later stated that he is contemplating continuing the business at the present stand. Mr. Lord owns a drug store at Bridgewater.

## CASES IN THE DISTRICT COURT

In the district court this morning, John Kosk admitted that he "just drank a pint of moonshine Saturday, that's all." But his wife testified that there was more than that to it and substantiated her statement by exhibiting a black eye, which she alleged, resulted from forceful contact with her husband's clenched fist. John was, therefore, found guilty of drunkenness, and received a sentence of five months to the house of correction, suspended for one year. Germain Ouellette pleaded not guilty to being a common drunkard, and the case was continued until January 24. An assault and battery charge against Mike Solak was continued until January 20, bonds being fixed at \$200. A similar charge against John Znoj, was continued to January 25. Romeo Hebert pleaded not guilty to illegal keeping, and was granted a continuance to January 27. Bonds of \$300 were furnished. Ernest and Omer Desmarais, for assault and battery, were released in bonds of \$200 each for their appearance on Jan. 24.

## SUN BREVITIES

Caterfing the best—Lyon. Tel. 4924. Heat printing, Tobin's Associate bldg. Fire and life insurance, Daniel J. O'Brien, Wymen's Exchange. Medium Brown Hair looks best of all after a Golden Gilt Shampoo. Lamps—"If it's a lamp, we have it." Electric Shop, 62 Central street. Mr. and Mrs. J. Henry Collins of Que New England Electrical Supply company of this city, left for New York city yesterday to purchase portable electric lamps and other electrical supplies.

## SUGAR, 10 lbs. 59c

With an Equal Purchase of Other Goods.

## FLOUR SALE—BUY NOW!

**J&M BRAND FLOUR** 1-8 Bbl. 99c Bag

**GOLD MEDAL FLOUR** ..... \$1.13  
**BEN HUR FLOUR** ..... \$1.03  
**BRIDAL VEIL FLOUR** ..... \$1.19

**Fancy No. 1 SMELTS** Lb. .... 21c  
**OYSTERS For Stewing** Pint ... 29c  
**TINKER MACKEREL** 5 for... 25c

**Tender Steak** TOP ROUND lb. 25c  
**Julcy VEIN, SIRLOIN**

**WINTER LAMB FOREQUARTERS**, lb. .... 15c

**Special Combination Sale**  
**1 LB HEAVY FAT BACK PORK**  
**2 LBS. SELECTED PEA BEANS—Both for...** 31c

**Green Mountain POTATOES**, Peck ..... 25c  
**Sweet, Juicy ORANGES**, large size, doz. .... 49c

**Fancy BUTTER** Note the Price. 49c  
**Creamery**

**Products From Our Sanitary Sunlight Bakery**  
**COFFEE BUNS**, dozen ..... 12c  
**JELLY ROLLS**, Well Filled, Each ..... 12c  
**CREAM DOUGHNUTS**, Dozen ..... 15c  
**JEM BRAND PARKER HOUSE ROLLS**, doz. 15c

**On Sale 4 to 8**  
**MINCED HAM, PRESSED HAM**, Machine Sliced, Lb. .... 16c  
**Fancy Selected Western EGGS**, Reg. Price 38c, 43c. Doz. .... 38c

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Private Lessons. Every Day from 2 to 8 p. m. Class Lessons Every Evening from 8 to 10.30. Individual Instruction Given Each Pupil.  
Ladies 40c, Gentlemen 50c Telephone 6418



# French To Operate German Mines CITY TREASURER ROURKE TO RESIGN

## CAMP FIRE AND REUNION BY DIS- ABLED VETERANS OF WORLD WAR

Veterans Install Officers With Mayor  
Donovan as Guest—State Treasurer  
of the D. A. V. of W. W. Was the  
Installing Officer—Farewell Speech  
by Retiring Commander Who Was  
Presented Gold Watch Appropri-  
ately Engraved

Some of them were over in the  
Toul sector with the First American  
division; others went forward at Chae-  
leau Thierry with the old-beloved  
"Twenty-sixth," still more fought on  
that memorable battle line only four-  
teen miles away from Paris in the  
frightful melee ending in that historic  
turn of the German tide of which  
others saw horrors unmentionable and  
waded through bloody morasses at the  
Champs-Élysées—Marne and before Verdun  
the redoubtable and torn but with  
memories poignant, saluted the Am-  
erican colors in Memorial Hall last  
evening when Lowell Chapter No. 5,  
Disabled American Veterans of the  
World War, at a well attended and en-  
thusiastic camp-fire and reunion, in-  
stalled officers for the New Year.



L. A. DODGE  
Commander

Counter attractions of wide variety  
failed to cut down the attendance at  
last night's rousing round-up of the  
Disabled Veterans and notable guests.  
More than 100 comrades old and new  
fraternized and paid their respects to  
guests of honor, who included Mayor  
John J. Donovan, a war hero with the  
rest of the valiant "vets," gathered to  
pay their respects to Lowell's leading  
disabled man as well as perform the duties  
attendant upon a patriotic installation  
ceremony that went forward smoothly  
and without a hitch.

## SENSATIONAL KIDNAPPING

Three Armed Men Invade  
Meeting of Board of  
Guardians at Cork, Ire.

Two Inspectors Holding In-  
quiry Seized and Driven  
Off in Auto

CORK, Jan. 17.—(By the Associated  
Press).—A sensational kidnapping was  
carried out today when three armed  
men invaded a meeting of the board  
of guardians at which a local govern-  
ment inquiry was proceeding.

Three men presenting revolvers or-  
dered all those present, including the  
guardians, solicitors, inspectors and  
reporters, to put up their hands, and  
then said:

"We want Murphy and McGrath,"

Seamus Murphy and Sean McGrath.

They then turned and drove off in an  
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## Réport Four Ruhr Industrial Leaders Who Refused to Obey French Orders Arrested

### What Saving Money Does

Lowell citizens who haven't yet tried the sport of putting  
away small regular savings in Lowell banking institutions, with  
prospects of becoming financially independent some day, will be  
interested in reading the figures below showing the easy route to  
prosperity. The figures are based on the condition that a set  
amount of money be deposited in a bank each week or month,  
drawing 4 per cent interest compounded twice a year.

By depositing—	In 1 year you will have	In 3 years you will have	In 5 years you will have
\$1 a week	\$53.07	\$165.71	\$287.65
2 a week	105.97	330.87	574.31
3 a week	158.91	496.32	861.52
4 a week	211.92	661.78	1,148.72
5 a week	264.92	827.26	1,435.96
6 a week	317.90	992.70	1,723.14
7 a week	370.88	1,158.10	2,010.33
8 a week	423.86	1,323.58	2,296.42
9 a week	476.80	1,488.77	2,577.03
10 a week	529.84	1,654.56	2,872.09

By depositing—	In 10 years you will have	In 20 years you will have	In 30 years you will have
\$15 a month	\$2,212.01	\$5,409.06	\$10,417.05
20 a month	2,949.52	7,322.24	13,844.80
25 a month	3,686.91	9,097.91	17,206.36
45 a month	6,635.18	16,495.08	31,147.46

## THRIFT CLUBS IN LOCAL BANKS TEACH VALUE OF SAVING

Lowell is Enjoying a Practical Demon-  
stration of the Value of Thrift—  
Increase in Thrift Club Membership  
in 1923—Slogan is to Save Something  
No Matter How Small

Four Lowell banking institutions  
this year will plant the germ of  
thrift and inculcate the will to  
save in the minds of upwards of  
11,200 men, women and children of  
the city, representing the member-  
ship of Thrift, Christmas and Sav-  
ings clubs, now an established part  
of bank activities locally.

Last year there were enrolled in  
such clubs in the Middlesex State Sav-  
ings bank, the Central Savings  
bank and the City Institution for  
Savings, approximately 5200 mem-  
bers, and the savings account bal-  
ance in the same clubs shows an increase  
of nearly 40 per cent.

The banks which now operate this  
type of savings club do not claim  
that the total membership involved  
represents new "savers," but they do  
contend that the clubs have had a  
tendency to foster a spirit of  
thrift and gradually increase the num-  
ber of permanent savers.

Leading the list this year as well  
as in 1922, in the matter of mem-  
bership is the Thrift club at the  
Middlesex State Savings Bank, where  
there is an enrollment of

7300 members, against a membership  
last year of 6300, which represented  
gross savings of \$291,123. This sum  
will be exceeded this year, of course,  
because of larger membership.

With 1100 members enrolled in its  
Christmas club for 1923, the Me-  
chanics Savings bank has increased  
its membership 25 per cent, and this  
year will pay out from this club ap-  
proximately \$20,000.

The Central Savings bank insti-  
tuted its Christmas club only last year,  
when it ran for a period of 40 weeks,  
with a membership of about 350.  
This year the club covers 12 months  
and already there are enrolled 500  
members.

The City Institution for Savings  
also has increased its club mem-  
bership, approximately 100 per cent,  
this year, showing an enrollment of  
1000 members in 1922.

Other banks may fall in the next  
year, for those already in the list  
have felt increased permanent busi-  
ness, and are now saving systematically  
"savings" which spells "thrift," not only  
to the individual but to the city as  
a whole.

N. Y. AND BOSTON CLEARINGS  
NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Exchanges,  
\$748,000,000; balances, \$76,000,000.  
BOSTON, Jan. 17.—Exchanges, \$76,  
000,000; balances, \$21,000,000.

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## TAKE ORDERS FROM BERLIN

German Magnates Fail to  
Answer Summons to Ap-  
pear Before Commission

French Ultimatum Expires  
Today—Germans to Go to  
Jail Rather Than Submit

LONDON, Jan. 17.—A Reuter's de-  
spatch from Essen, Jan. 17, Tuesday,  
says that according to reports from  
German sources, four of the Ruhr  
industrial leaders, including Herr  
Thyssen, were told by the French au-  
thorities at Dusseldorf to consider  
themselves under arrest after the  
magnates had reiterated that they  
would only obey orders from Berlin.

Occupation Completed  
DUSSELDORF, Jan. 17.—(By the  
Associated Press).—General De Goutte  
announced this afternoon that the  
military operations of the Ruhr  
occupation had been com-  
pleted.

The French will take possession of  
the mine throughout the district to-  
morrow morning, placing military  
guards at the head of every pit.  
The Ruhr magnates were informed  
late this afternoon that their property  
will be confiscated, and will be  
worked under French management for  
the benefit of the reparation account.

French to Run German Mines  
DUSSELDORF, Jan. 17.—(By the  
Associated Press).—The French authorities  
announced this afternoon that they  
would begin operating the mines of  
the Ruhr district tomorrow, regulat-  
ing German labor if necessary.

The Ruhr coal and industrial mag-  
nates who refused to co-operate with  
the French will be prosecuted before a  
court-martial.

Refuse to Obey French  
DUSSELDORF, Jan. 17.—(By the  
Associated Press).—Representatives  
of the German magnates failed to  
appear this morning before the con-  
trol commission, sending word they  
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## FRED ROURKE TO RESIGN

City Treasurer Says Position  
Interferes With His Busi-  
ness Affairs

Fred H. Rourke intends to resign  
as city treasurer and collector of  
taxes for Lowell this year, due to  
an inability to properly conduct his  
private business affairs, with so



FRED H. ROURKE

much of his time demanded by the  
city position. Just when his resigna-  
tion will be presented is a matter  
of conjecture, but he does not wish  
to embarrass the city in the slight-  
est degree and will not take the  
step until after the 1923 commit-  
ment of taxes has been made to him.  
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## FOUR IMPORTANT ORDINANCES SUBMITTED TO COUNCIL BY SPECIAL COMMITTEE

Recommendations for Retention of  
Public Service Board and Budget  
and Audit Commission, With Greater  
Powers for Latter—Mayor Names  
Dennis J. Murphy for Three-Year  
Man on Board of Public Service But  
Nomination is Tabled on Suggestion  
of Councilor Daly

Recommendations of ordinances, but the nomination was tabled on the  
suggestion of Councilor John W. Daly,  
who expressed the belief that more  
time should be allowed in which to  
study the matter.

During a discussion of the proposi-  
tion for a new elementary school in  
the South End district to replace the  
Robertson school building, both  
Councilors Maurice J. Lambert, Jr.,  
and Daniel Cosgrove declared the  
proposition a menace to life. The former  
said that the school was a menace  
while a member of the 1922 school  
committee and found the floor in ex-  
cessive use.

## OBSERVANCE OF FRANKLIN'S BIRTH- DAY AND THRIFT WEEK

Week When Value of Saving Toward  
Financial Independence is Empha-  
sized Annually Starts on January 17,  
the Birthday of Franklin Who Ad-  
vised Young Men to Save and  
Become Respectable and Respected

Benjamin Franklin, old-time printer  
and inventor of thrift, would be 217  
years old today if he had been a mem-  
ber of the Methuselah family.

And today, all over America and even  
abroad, where the name and fame of  
Franklin are also placed high in halls  
of fame and remembrance, the birth-  
day of the great American citizen who  
taught millions of future Americans  
to live, save, invest and be happy  
in a business, school, professional  
institutions, public schools, colleges  
and many of learning along many other  
lines of human endeavor.

In Lowell the observance of the  
Franklin birthday is being made with  
out ostentation, but in the public  
schools there were references made by  
instructors to the noted American's  
natal anniversary, and in some cases  
special exercises by children also in  
remembrance.

Several weeks ago preparations were  
made to honor the anniversary date,  
and many thousands of school children  
today were told the simple story of  
the plain American's life and work  
and were deeply interested in the ob-  
servance in honor of the man who  
lived as well as the brotherhood of man  
from the standpoint of one who prac-  
ticed what he preached.

Uncle Sam Leads Campaigners  
The postoffice department at Wash-  
ington, through local offices all over  
the country and island possessions, to-  
day inaugurated a "Thrift campaign"  
that promises to be one of the most  
notable in responsive results ever  
planned by Uncle Sam and his co-  
workers.

Fortunate drafts of the local of-  
fice received early in the week a vast  
amount of placards, circulars, fliers and  
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## DEMAND MAYOR QUIT BENTON TAKES OFFICE

Alderman Resigns, City Mar-  
shal Departs and Two  
Strikers on Way to Jail

LITTLE ROCK, ARK., Jan. 17.—Two  
strikers alleged to have participated in  
bridge burnings are en route to the  
state penitentiary at Little Rock, the  
bond of another has been forfeited, an  
alderman has resigned, the city mar-  
shal has departed and a demand has  
been made for the resignation of  
Mayor Clute at Harrison, according to  
a despatch to the Arkansas Democrat.

Associated Press. Mayor Doyle, tonight.

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## BANG AWAY! KEEP IT UP!

If you have opened a Sav-  
ings Account with us, don't  
neglect it.

Deposit a little bit every  
week.

You know, this bank is open  
Saturday evenings.

You also know it is the old-  
est bank in Lowell and is  
under the supervision of the  
United States Government.

Old Lowell  
National Bank

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## Are You Among These?

Over 79,500 Bank  
Books are held by the  
people of Lowell to-  
day showing the  
amounts of their sav-  
ings in Six Mutual  
Savings Banks here.

Open An  
Account  
Today

Merrimack River Savings Bank  
228 Central Street

Washington Savings Institution  
40 Middlesex Street

Central Savings Bank  
58 Central Street

Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank  
107 Merrimack Street

Lowell Institution for Savings  
18 Shattuck Street

Mechanics Savings Bank  
204 Merrimack Street

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## Beauty Week

Bromley-Shepard, Inc.

Come in and consult Milla  
Lucille, specialist from Mme.  
Rubinstein's New York Beauty  
Salon. She will prescribe the  
right kind of treatment for  
your skin.

Ask her advice on home  
treatments.

Open Saturday Afternoon and  
Evening

35 PAIGE ST.

Lowell, Mass.

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## CUTTER BRINGS LIQUOR SCHOONER INTO PORT

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Jan. 17.—  
Buttered and blizzed by a bitter  
conflict, with severe gales which she  
encountered, the three masted Brit-  
ish auxiliary schooner Dorin with  
3200 cases of assorted liquors aboard  
and almost wholly without provi-  
sions and coal, found a welcome  
haven at State pier in the Providence  
harbor today. The schooner and her  
cargo were turned over to the fed-  
eral States customs officers who will  
examine her papers.

Since leaving Halifax more than  
six weeks ago, the sturdy 150 foot  
craft has been in tow of five vessels,  
two of which were supposed to con-  
duct her to her port of destination  
and three which attempted to take  
her in tow after she had broken  
adrift.

The last step to come to the rescue  
of the disabled schooner was the  
revenue cutter Tampa.

Captain Coats maintains that the  
Dorin was a good St. Pierre to  
Nesqueam with a cargo of whiskey.

Associate. Hall, Miner-Doyle's, tonight.

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## \$35,000 Loss in Medfield Fire

MEDFIELD, Jan. 17.—The town building which contained the town hall, police station, fire headquarters and American Legion and Red Cross rooms, was badly damaged by fire today. The loss was estimated at \$35,000. Several firemen and volunteers were overcome by smoke. The fire started in the attic near a chimney. After a four-hour struggle the firemen succeeded in bringing the flames under control. The building was a two-story wooden structure.

## Pres. Harding Ordered to Remain in Bed

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—President Harding cancelled all of his engagements today in order to remain in bed on account of an attack of grippe. It was said at the White House that the day of rest was decided on merely as a precautionary measure and that the president's condition showed no serious developments.

## MERRIMACK

THURSDAY,  
FRIDAY and SATURDAY

Thomas Meighan  
in GEORGE ADE'S



To roll back to the old "home town" some day in a limousine—that's the ambition of every boy who leaves home. George Ade has put this idea into his funniest and most human story.

Feature No. 2



PACKED WITH ADVENTURE IN STORM  
AND SHIPWRECK

A love melodrama of  
the sea

WHERE  
Paramount Pictures  
DOMINATE



AT  
**Kasino**

Jan. 22 to 27 inclusive  
Admission 25¢

## GET RID OF YOUR FAT

Thousands of others have gotten rid of theirs by my simple and efficient method of fat reduction, often at a very rapid rate, and WITHOUT PAYMENT until reduction has taken place.

I am a licensed practicing physician and have made a careful study of the physiological requirements of the human body. This has enabled me to select such medicinal ingredients and in such proportion as in my opinion should produce a loss of weight, improvement in health and with it an alleviation of all of the troublesome symptoms which frequently accompany and often are a direct result of overweight, such as shortness of breath on slight exertion, palpitation of the heart, etc., not to speak of the relief from the embarrassment of being too stout. All cases are under my supervision. My treatment will relieve that depressed, tired, sleepy feeling, giving you the renewed energy and vigor which come as a result of the loss of your superfluous fat.

If you are over stout do not postpone but sit down right now and send for my FREE TRIAL TREATMENT and my plan whereby I am to be PAID ONLY AFTER REDUCTION HAS TAKEN PLACE if you so desire.

DR. R. NEWMAN, Licensed Physician State of New York  
286 Fifth Avenue, New York, N. Y. Desk H941

## WINS ON THIRD TRIAL

Lady Elizabeth Says "Yes"

After Duke of York Popped  
Question Three Times

LONDON, Jan. 17.—(By the Associated Press.)—Everybody in London from the cockney to the most altitudinous aristocrat was 100 per cent. agog yesterday over the announcement of the Duke of York's engagement. People talked of it everywhere, in subways, in street buses, in their homes and in the most gossipy of all places, the ubiquitous tea room. Here are some of the things regarding Prince Albert's engagement to



Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon, daughter of the Earl of Strathmore, one saw in the papers yesterday. The Duke of York popped the question three times before he succeeded in getting "yes" for an answer—the first time he proposed at a dance after Princess Mary's wedding; the second, while going last September; and thirdly, last Sunday when he was the weekend guest at the Hertfordshire home of the earl.

It is said that after turning down the proffer, Lady Elizabeth received a letter from the queen, saying she was perfectly right not to marry the duke unless she loved him. Perhaps the young duke was surprised by being accepted on Sunday, as he had not brought the engagement ring. "So far as I know," said Lady Elizabeth's father yesterday, "the ring has not even been purchased, the prince did not bring one in his pocket." On Monday Prince Albert hurried to Sandringham to get his parents' approval, and his successful accomplishment of this was announced an hour later in the court circular. Yesterday he and Lady Elizabeth and her mother dined at the Strathmore town house.

## MR. GIAGIAS HONORED

Lowell Man Receives Telegram From Prince and Princess

Not every Lowell man can proudly exhibit a personal telegram from members of royalty. Nicholas Giagias, tobacco merchant at 82 Bridge street, can, nevertheless, and Nicholas held a solemn jubilee celebration today with many Greek-speaking citizens of Lowell calling in groups, curiously anxious to see the very important telegram and learn all about it. When Nicholas last night the valuable little yellow sheet close to his manly bosom and handing out his best cigars at the same time, he will let you read it, if you will be careful and not wrinkle it up when you take the precious document that is going to be framed some time when Nicholas has that next house party for a Lowell newspaperman and his family. Here is the telegram bona fide and everything—that came over the Western Union from New York, last night: "Nicholas Giagias,

"82 Bridge St., Lowell, Mass. "Evchurio ek vathous kardis." (Signed) "CHRISTOPHOROS "ANASTASIE."

Which, being duly translated by Nicholas, means: "Thank you from the depth of our hearts."

Mr. Giagias' telegram from Prince Christopher and the Princess Anastasia, as we Yanks write it in Americanese, was a courteous reply to a telegram of condolence from the tobacco merchant, sent to the prince and princess who are stopping at Hotel Amsterdam, New York city, in royal suite No. 1 and Fifth avenue, to make it complete. "The telegram was as follows:

"Please accept the sympathy of the Greek-speaking citizens of Lowell in the death of your brother, King Constantine, one of the greatest Greek rulers in the new history of Greece."

## Take Orders From Berlin

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had decided to obey the instructions of the Berlin government. Instead of the French orders as to coal deliveries, thus placing the next move squarely up to the French occupying authorities.

The ultimatum delivered to the industrial leaders yesterday, directing them to resume coal deliveries, under heavy penalties for failure, expires at 1 p.m. No action will be taken by the French. It is stated, until the full 24 hours from the delivery of the ultimatum, 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, has elapsed.

## To Ignore Ultimatum

DUESSELDORF, Jan. 17.—(By the Associated Press.)—Ruhr valley coal operation had before them today the French ultimatum that it deliveries were not resumed this morning "the authorities would take such measures as were deemed necessary."

The attitude of the German magnates, however, seemed to be epitomized in a remark made by Herr Thomas, representative of the Stinnes interests at Gelsenkirchen. He said: "We are perfectly willing to go to jail, but under no condition shall we resume deliveries."

So far as was indicated in advices reaching this city this morning, not a chunk of reparations coal or coke was being sent to France or Belgium, by

any of the Ruhr mines. It was reported that in some instances shipments intended for South Germany were being diverted westward by the occupation authorities. It was said that deliveries to Italy were continuing.

At the conference here yesterday between the French authorities and the operators, General Simon said to the Germans: "We have not summoned you here for a discussion, but to transmit to you the orders of our government. If you do not see fit to obey them you will be prosecuted before a court-martial, condemned and imprisoned."

The industrial leaders filed out of the room without uttering a word, but once outside of the conference hall they made no secret of their determination to go to jail rather than submit.

Thirty-two labor leaders, representing all the districts and all the trades in the Ruhr including the Catholic socialists and communists syndicates of miners, railroad men and steel and iron workers, were introduced by Dr. Grotzner, Prussian governor of Dusseldorf province, acted as their spokesmen.

General Simon told the labor leaders France was the friend of the workingman. The German government, he declared, was responsible for

the recent events and was willing to sacrifice the workingmen to its imperialistic policy. It had permitted the food stocks to become depleted and cared little whether its own nationals starved or not.

## Await New Penalties

ESSEN, Jan. 17. (By the Associated Press.)—Directors of German coal mines, having reiterated that they would abide by the order of the federal coal commission to deliver no more fuel on the reparations account, were apparently awaiting early today to see what the next of the threatened French penalties would be.

It was suggested at French headquarters that the mine owners or their representatives might either be arrested or subjected to heavy fines. Other penalties said to be in prospect were the occupation of further territory and possibly the confiscation of the mine properties and seizure of the records.

The suggestion was made here today that the coal commissars' orders might be followed by instructions from Berlin forbidding the railway officials to load or transport reparations coal.

## Clashes in Dortmund

DORTMUND, Jan. 17. (By the Associated Press.)—Demonstrations by nationalists in the streets of Dortmund late last evening caused clashes

with communist labor elements, but French forces did not intervene. The French have reinforced the troops of occupation here, as further trouble is expected this evening. The nationalists intend to hold a secret parade, which Gen. Rampant, the French commander, has forbidden.

LUCKY STRIKE CIGARETTE

It's toasted

12's

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS'  
CARNIVAL  
At the Kasino  
Jan. 15 to 20

*The Bon Marche*  
DRY GOODS CO.

KITCHEN TOWELS  
Crash kitchen towels, with blue and red borders, with loop to hang, size 16x33; no phone or C.O.D. orders; regular price 17c. Thursday A. M. .... 2 for 25c  
Street Floor

## 3 1/2 Hour THURSDAY SPECIALS 3 1/2 Hour

### DRUG AND TOILET GOODS SHOP

Street Floor  
C. H. HOLLAND, Reg. Pharm., Mgr.  
THURSDAY A. M. SPECIALS

39c Prophylactic Tooth Brushes... 33¢  
25c Pompadour Lip Stick, for chapped lips ..... 19¢  
39c Hand and Nail Brushes ..... 25¢  
25c Torpedo Bath Soap, rose, lavender and verbena ..... 3 for 60¢  
25c Lysol Ideal Antiseptic..... 19¢  
15c 1-lb. pkg. Epsom Salts... 2 for 25¢  
96c Beef, Iron and Wine, U.S.P., 16-oz. bottle ..... 89¢

### SHEETS

81x90 bleached sheets, good, heavy quality, 15 dozen only at this special price; two to a customer; no phone orders or C.O.D.; regular price \$1.49. Thursday A. M. .... \$1.09  
Street Floor

### VELOUR AND TAILORED HATS

In gray, red, brown, black, blue and sand; worth \$8.50 to \$12.50. Thursday A. M. .... \$3.85  
Second Floor

### ALL-OVER LACES

Black, blue and brown; regular price \$2.98. Thursday A. M., Yard, \$1.50  
Street Floor

### SILVERWARE AND CUT GLASS SHOP

Third Floor  
SALT AND PEPPER SHAKERS, glass tops, neatly cut; regular price 98c. Thursday A. M., Pair, ..... 69¢  
WATER SETS, 7 pieces, grape pattern, well cut; regular price \$1.98. Thursday A. M., Set ..... \$1.49  
TEA STRAINERS, regular price 50c. Thursday A. M., Each ..... 14¢  
DINNER FORKS, nickel silver. Thursday A. M., each ..... 15¢

### WOMEN'S SHOES

Queen Quality, black kid lace, French heels only, many good sizes in the lot; regular price \$8.00 to \$10.00. Thursday A. M. .... \$1.98  
Street Floor

### BOYS' WOOL GLOVES

Small sizes; regular price 50c. Thursday A. M., Pair, 25¢  
Street Floor

### WOMEN'S SPORT HOSE

Ribbed fine mercerized lisle, camel's hair color; regular price 50c. Thursday A. M., Pair ..... 25¢  
Street Floor

### CHILDREN'S BEAVER HATS

And smart little girls' or misses' models, tailored styles; regular prices \$3.98 and \$5.00. Thursday A. M. .... 89c  
Second Floor

### WALLPAPER SHOP

Fifth Floor  
ROOM LOTS OF CHAMBER PAPERS, 6 to 14 rolls in a lot, all good patterns, but these are all we have left of each pattern, some with and without borders. Thursday A. M., One-half Regular Prices  
Bring your room measurement.  
FOR ALL ROOMS BUT CHAMBERS—Discontinued patterns; many excellent patterns. Thursday A. M., One-Half Regular Prices  
Bring your room measurements.  
WHITE ROOM MOULDINGS, 1 1/2-inch; regular price 4 1/2c. Thursday A. M., 3¢ Foot

### WOMEN'S NECKWEAR

Old pieces of neckwear; regular price 50c. Thursday A. M. .... 10¢  
Street Floor

### DRAPERY SHOP

Third Floor  
SUNFAST OVERDRAPE MATERIALS  
36 to 50 Inches Wide.  
Regular price \$1.00. Thursday A. M., Yard ..... 50¢  
Regular price \$2.00. Thursday A. M., Yard ..... \$1.00  
Regular price \$2.50. Thursday A. M., Yard ..... \$1.25  
Regular price \$3.00. Thursday A. M., Yard ..... \$1.49  
CRETONNES  
Regular price 40c. Thursday A. M., Yard ..... 35¢

### WOMEN'S HANDKERCHIEFS

All linen; regular price 50c. Thursday A. M. .... 25¢  
Street Floor

### DROPSTITCH TRICOLETTE

Tubular, for blouses and scarfs, three pieces only at this special price; colors: Bluebird, gold and poppy. No phone or C.O.D. orders; regular price \$1.98. Thursday A. M., Yard, \$1.00  
Street Floor

### SMALLWARE SHOP

Street Floor  
THURSDAY A. M.  
10c card Safety Pins, all sizes.... 8¢  
Remnants of Skirt Belting... 2 for 5¢  
25c 10-yd. pcc. 5-8 Inch Twill Tape 15¢  
15c to 25c Fancy Edgings, Piece 10¢  
25c to 40c card Fancy Buttons... 5¢  
10c paper Delong's Pins..... 7¢  
\$1.00 Fancy Garters, assorted colors, Pair ..... 50¢  
50c yard Fancy Frill Elastic, yard, 29¢

### RATINE

Yard wide plain ratine of good quality, in jade, tangerine, gray and two pieces of white; regular price 60c. Thursday A. M., Yard ..... 49¢  
Street Floor

### TRIMMED HATS

Of duvetyh, panne and Lyons velvets, also a few good matrons' hats; regular prices \$5.00, \$7.50 and \$10. Thursday A. M. .... \$2.00  
Second Floor

### DUVETYN

Small lot silk faced duvetyh, 38-inch, colors: Cana, bluebird, coral, flame, jade, fuchsia and taragon. No phone or C.O.D. orders; regular price \$2.98. Thursday A. M. .... \$1.98  
Street Floor

### HOUSEWARES SHOP

Basement Section  
ROLLING PINS, made of selected wood; regular price 25c. Thursday A. M., Each ..... 19¢  
MIXING SPOONS, perforated bowl, wooden ware; regular price 10c. Thursday A. M., Each ..... 5¢  
CRUMB SETS, nickel plated tray and scraper; regular prices 49c and 69c. Thursday A. M., Set ..... 35¢  
ENAMELED SAUCEPANS, blue and white enamel, 6-quart size, enamel cover; regular price 98c. Thursday A. M. .... 59¢

### MEN'S HOSE

Worsted merino, in camel's hair color only; regular price 59c. Thursday A. M., Pair ..... 25¢  
Street Floor

### MESH VEILINGS

Regular price 50c. Thursday A. M., Yard ..... 10¢  
Street Floor

### WOMEN'S PANTS

Ribbed cotton, fleece lined, closed and open, small sizes; regular price 50c. Thursday A. M., Pair, 15¢, 2 Pairs 25¢  
Street Floor

### CHILDREN'S HOSE

Fine ribbed mercerized lisle, mostly black, broken sizes; regular price 50c. Thursday A. M., Pair, 25¢  
Street Floor



# MASSACHUSETTS MILL OPERATIVES WILL HONOR AGENT AND RETIRED PAYMASTER

## Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Guests of Chinese Students' Club at Banquet—Report- ed Today That Saco-Lowell Repre- sentatives Will Go to China With Mr. Mitchell

Agent William A. Mitchell, of the Massachusetts mills, who in the early part of next month will sail for China and David Healey, former paymaster of the company, who recently resigned his position, will be featured in a testimonial banquet in the club rooms of the mill this evening by the operatives and several hands of the plant. Saturday noon. The committee in charge of the presentation is composed of the presidents of the three Chinese organizations connected with the mill.

Interesting details of the venture of Mr. Mitchell and numerous other well-known American textile chiefs into the territory of China and the Orient to build and operate new industrial plants, have come to The Sun today. The program of the American textile interests, in which Mr. Mitchell has extensive leadership in one of the most active ever before undertaken.

Saco-Lowell Representatives

With the announcement of Mr. Mitchell's acceptance of a position with the Universal Textile Corporation as managing director, comes the news today that a number of well known executives connected with the Saco-Lowell Co. are also slated for important positions on the new corporation executive staff.

Frank Lowell, who represents in China the Saco-Lowell shops has been

## FURS

### At Big Reductions

10 CHILDREN'S FUR COATS. Sizes 4 to 12	\$25
10 LADIES' FUR COATS. Reduced from \$100, \$125, \$150	\$50
5 RACCOON COATS. Reduced to	\$100
5 MUSKRAT COATS. Reduced from \$150	\$75

#### SPECIAL

Gentleman's Mink Lined Coat—Slightly worn. Original cost \$300

Two More Excellent Coats at \$75

Three Men's Slightly Worn Coats at \$15

## ROSE G. CAISSE

194 MERRIMACK STREET

THESE COATS GO ON SALE THURSDAY

## ISN'T IT TIME TO THINK OF YOUR HOME?

Doesn't your home need a present occasionally? A new clock for guest room, Buffet Set, Hand Decorated China, Gold Plated Candlesticks, Luster Tiffany Glassware or a nice Electric Lamp to read by.

OUR SELECTION OF GIFTS IS  
BEYOND YOUR IMAGINATION

## Prince-Cotter Co.

THE STORE THAT TIMES THE CITY

Successors to Millard F. Wood, 194 Merrimack Street

## Cadillac

Sensible motor car buyers place performance first. And where can you find more dependable, satisfying performance, at such low cost, as in a Used Cadillac?

TYPE 57 CADILLAC SEDAN, 5 or 6 Pass., overhauled, refinished and guaranteed spic and span throughout, an ideal all year round car for the low price of	\$1250
TYPE 57 CADILLAC TOURING CAR, overhauled and guaranteed, paint fair, 5 good tires	\$850
TYPE 53 CADILLAC RUNABOUT, good condition	\$450
TYPE 51 CADILLAC TOURING, small money, smooth running, practically new tires, new paint and top not long since.	\$365

## Geo. R. Dana & Son

81-95 EAST MERRIMACK ST.  
Cadillac Sales and Service

### DEATHS.

Fr. Hauselman Was Assistant to General of Order and Former Head of H. C.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Word of the death in Rome yesterday of the Rev. Joseph Francis Hauselman, assistant to the general of the order, has been received here. He had been in the United States for some time, having been sent here to attend to the affairs of the order. He was born in Ireland and came to this country in 1850. He was a member of the Holy Name Society of St. John's church, North Adams, and in his later years he was a member of the Holy Name Society of St. John's church, North Adams. He was a member of the Holy Name Society of St. John's church, North Adams, and in his later years he was a member of the Holy Name Society of St. John's church, North Adams.

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## GAGNON COMPANY

HOME OF THE GREATEST VALUES

Knights of Pythias' Carnival Now Going On at Kasino

## THURSDAY SPECIALS

### COATS, DRESSES, SKIRTS

PRUNELLA SPORT SKIRTS, navy blue, with different color stripe, pleated models, sizes 26 to 30. Values to \$5.98. Thursday Special	\$2.98
TO CLOSE, 10 WINTER COATS, navy blue, brown, with stylish chin or throw collars, full lined. Thursday Special	\$7.95
BETTY WALES JERSEY DRESSES, in stylish youthful models, sizes 14 to 20. Values to \$12.95. Thursday Special	\$5.50

### SECOND FLOOR

### JEWELRY, LEATHER GOODS

Fancy Earrings, drop style, all colors. Thursday Special	29c
Fancy Necklaces, of cut crystal beads, all colors. Thursday Special	9c
Fancy Cuff Pins, gold and silver. Thursday Special	19c
Children's Fancy Handbags, of velvet and beads. Thursday Special	15c
Narrow Leather Belts, for dresses or sweaters, white, brown, black. Thursday Special	29c

### STREET FLOOR

### TOILET GOODS

Egyptian Talcum Powder, oriental scent. Thursday Special	15c
Hair Brushes, with white ivory backs. Thursday Special	38c
Palmolive Shampoo, cleans and gives new life to the hair. Thursday Special	33c
Fancy Straw Baskets, for sewing, candy, lunches. 75c and \$1 values. Thursday Special	49c
Marilyn Compact Face Powder, white, cream, flesh color. Thursday Special	15c

### STREET FLOOR

### NECKWEAR, HANDKERCHIEFS, VEILINGS

Women's Fancy Handkerchiefs, white or colored with embroidery. Values to 12 1/2c. Thursday Special	6c
Men's Handkerchiefs, odd initials. 19c value. Thursday Special	10c
Women's Handkerchiefs, of fine white linen. 19c value. Thursday Special	12 1/2c
Veilings, all colors, in fancy meshes and dotted patterns. Thursday Special	35c
Organdie Vests, with rolled or Brambleigh collars and cuffs. Thursday Special	63c
Roller Lace Collars, cream and white. Thursday Special	35c

### STREET FLOOR

### WAIST DEPARTMENT

White Voile Waists, long or short sleeves, round and square necks, fancy trimming. Thursday Special	69c
Middy Blouses, white and colored, counter soiled. Thursday Special	59c

### SECOND FLOOR

### HOSIERY

Women's Silk Hose, reinforced heels and toes. Black only. \$1 value. Thursday Special	59c
Women's Wool Sport Hose, all sizes, in green heathers. \$1 value. Thursday Special	50c
Sport Hose, for women, dark green heather mixtures, all sizes. 50c value. Thursday Special	25c
Children's GOLF Hose, heavy cotton, in black only, sizes 7 to 11. 25c value. Thursday Special	12 1/2c
Women's Sport Hose, silk and wool, brown heathers. \$1.50 value. Thursday Special	95c
Wool Sport Hose, with fancy clocking on sides, women's sizes. \$1 value. Thursday Special	69c

### STREET FLOOR

### SHOE DEPARTMENT

Odd Lot Children's Felt Slippers, in a variety of colors, also some shoes in black and tan leathers, sizes 5 to 11 in lot. Values to \$1.25. Thursday Special	50c
Black Gun Metal Shoes, for boys and girls, button styles, made on modern lasts. Some are (good year) wets, sizes 9 to 12 1/2. Values to \$2.50. Thursday Special	98c
Children's Rubber Boots, bright finish, first quality, knee length, sizes 5 to 10 1/2. Thursday Special	\$1.79
Women's Satin Boudoir Slippers, with leather soles and heels, light colors, sizes 2 1/2 to 7. Thursday Special	25c
Women's Shoes, high and low cut, made with high heels, every pair an exceptional value, sizes 2 1/2 to 8 in lot. Thursday Special	50c
Women's Rubbers, first quality, made with heels, sizes 2 1/2 to 8. Thursday Special	25c
Women's Rubbers, all first quality, all styles, sizes 2 to 8. Thursday Special	59c
Girls' Storm Rubbers, first quality, with heavy rolled soles and heels, fleece lined. \$1 value. Thursday Special	59c

### BASEMENT

### KNIT UNDERWEAR

Women's Underskirts, of knitted jersey ribbed, dark and light colors. \$1.25 value. Thursday Special	79c
Women's Woolen Tights, black only, sizes 38, 40, 42. \$2 value. Thursday Special	69c

### STREET FLOOR

### GLOVES

Children's Woolen Gloves with wrists. 50c value. Thursday Special	25c
Children's Brown Mittens with fur tops. 75c value. Thursday Special	50c

### STREET FLOOR

### BOYS' OVERSHOES

First quality rubber, with tops of extra good wearing jersey, sizes 10 to 2. Thursday Special

\$1.98

## AMERICANS TO DIRECT RELIEF

Women From U. S. to Install Finance and Direct Huge Medical Quarantine Station

To Launch \$100,000 Project on Island of Macronisi, 30 Miles From Athens

Hope to Cope With Unprecedented Outbreak of Disease Among Refugees

ATHENS, Jan. 17. (By the Associated Press).—American women will install, finance and direct the longest medical quarantine station in the world on the island of Macronisi, 30 miles south of Athens, in an effort to cope with the unprecedented outbreak of disease among near east refugees in Greece.

Dr. Mabel Elliott, director of the American Women's hospitals, today arranged with the Greek government to take over the entire island and equip

it with facilities for handling 10,000 refugees at one time. The island, 10 miles long and two miles wide, is now uninhabited, but Dr. Elliott plans to set up 2500 tents and the necessary disinfecting plants and soup kitchens. Because of the pressing emergency, Dr. Elliott has guaranteed to have the station in operation within six days. Its director will be Dr. Olga Stasney of Helena, Ark., who will have at her disposal a staff of 40 Greek doctors and nurses. The cost of the project is estimated at \$100,000, which will be entirely defrayed by the American Women's hospitals in addition to their other refugee work.

## SACO-LOWELL CUTS COMMON SHARES

Directors of the Saco-Lowell shops have unanimously declared a quarterly dividend of \$1.50 per share on the common shares of the company, payable Feb. 1 to stockholders of record on Jan. 20.

Expansion in output is said to be the main reason for this move toward conservatism in dividend outlays.

Some surprise was expressed in financial circles today following this cut in the common share dividend basis, following the recent declaration of a stock dividend of 50 per cent payable in 7 per cent second preferred stock.

The news of the directors' decision to cut the common share annual dividend rate down to the "six" basis, is not believed to have any particular

## QUART OF WATER A DAY HELPS KIDNEYS

When Back Hurts or Bladder Bothers, Also Take a Little Salts

Eating too much rich food may produce kidney trouble in some form, say a well-known authority, because the acids created excite the kidneys. Then they become overworked, get sluggish, clog up and cause all sorts of distress, particularly backache and misery in the kidney region, rheumatic twinges, severe headaches, acid stomach, constipation, torpid liver, sleeplessness, bladder and urinary troubles.

The moment your back hurts or kidneys aren't acting right, or if bladder bothers you, begin drinking lots of good water and also get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any good pharmacy; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys may then act fine.

This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithium and has been used for years to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to activity; also to neutralize the acids in the system so that they no longer irritate, thus often relieving bladder distress.

Jad Salts cannot injure anyone; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which millions of men and women take now and then to help keep the kidneys and urinary organs clean, thus often avoiding serious kidney disorders. By all means have your physician examine your kidneys at least twice a year.

—Adv.

bearing upon present industrial conditions in the "Saco-Lowell chain," however, as southern business is constantly expanding, and all new departments in each district, opened within the past few months, together with the new foundry department in the local territory, are increasing output with orders received in ample size to please the executives of the prosperous industrial textile machine manufacturers.

The previous common share dividend rate up to the present year, was \$3 annually, and the stock was always in good demand among careful investors.

The Saco-Lowell southern division headquarters, with agents eternally seeking new business in various sections where new cotton mills are being erected is said to be a real hive of busy activities from the Carolinas up down the territory now splendidly covered by the "Saco-Lowell" hustlers looking for New Year orders.

## ROBERT PARKER MILES AT MEN'S CLUB

The Downtown Men's club of the First Congregational church held the third of a series of entertainments in the church auditorium last evening. In the absence of Rev. Percy B. Thomas, President Otis Butler had charge of the meeting and after a short address introduced Robert Parker Miles, formerly religious editor of the New York Evening Journal and a lecturer of wide repute.

Taking as his subject, "Tallow Tips," the speaker said that the title was suggested by a visit he made to the attic of a New York Knickerbocker descendant, where he saw an old rusty candlestick with the tallow tips still in it though burned down to the stick. By comparison, he said, our lives are like the tallow tips, that we should allow them to burn as brilliantly as possible and never leave go until they are burned completely out. He then gave a series of character sketches, which proved highly interesting, including upon Roosevelt, W. B. Chastaine, the great English statesman, and the mother of Dr. Newell Dwight Hillis, the renowned Brooklyn divine.

## GIRLS' CITY CLUB HEARS FROM STATE LEAGUE

The Girls' City club held a well attended meeting last night to hear of the work done by the Massachusetts League of Girls' clubs and to extend a welcome to Miss Mildred Guttersen, secretary of the league.

Miss Guttersen, in a short talk to the members, spoke of the banquet to be held by the league at the Hotel Westminster, January 27th, and extended an invitation to the Lowell club to send as large a delegation as possible. She also invited them to attend a meeting to be held on the day after the banquet, January 28th, at the Agassiz house at Radcliffe college, Cambridge, to report the work done by the league's home at Rockport, Mass., and to make arrangements for the coming year.

The Massachusetts League comprises thirty-three Girls' clubs of Massachusetts, Vermont and Maine, and the Lowell club is one of the largest self-supporting clubs in the league.

Office of the Purchasing Agent

Sealed bids will be received at the office of the purchasing agent for furnishing the following material until Saturday, Jan. 20, 1923, at 11 a. m.

Reg. 6470. (Christmas St. Hospital) 20 bags Cal. or Mich. beans, 5 bags instant coffee (ground) 10 bags yellow eye beans 10 lbs. sugar, 600 lbs. butterfat.

Reg. 6477. Dispensary—Charity Dept. Drugs as per requisition which may be seen at the office of the purchasing agent.

Reg. 6478. Dispensary—Charity Dept. Drugs as per requisition which may be seen at the office of the purchasing agent.

The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

EDWARD J. DONNELLY, Purchasing Agent.

Lowell, Mass., Jan. 16, 1923.

## Order Restored at Harrison, Ark.

HARRISON, Ark., Jan. 17.—Harrison today assumed its normal atmosphere after two days of excitement, the result of "armed action" by citizens gathered here from a radius of 150 miles in which one man was lynched, another wounded, during a round-up of strikers, and more than 200 persons were forced to leave the community by a "committee of 1000." Further trouble was not expected to follow the "clean up" of persons believed to be guilty of or to have knowledge of bridge burnings and other depredations along the line of the Missouri & North Arkansas railroad which precipitated the demonstration.

## Rock Hill College Destroyed By Fire

BAITIMORE, Jan. 17.—Only the gray granite walls of Rock Hill college at Ellicott City, near here, remain standing today, as a result of a fire last night which destroyed the administration building and the college dormitory; three story structures. The loss was estimated at \$200,000. The fire was believed to have originated in a trunk room. Brother Felician, president of the college, said that practically all of the personal belongings of the student body and faculty had been saved. This was to have been the last term of Rock Hill at Ellicott City as a new college is now under construction near Washington.

# Thursday Specials 8.30 A. M. to 12 Noon

## A. G. Pollard Co.

The Store for Thrifty People

## Blouses, Sweaters and Scarfs

Hand-made French Voile Blouses—Beautifully trimmed with Irish lace, square, round and V shape necks; regular \$7.95. Thursday Special \$2.95

A Small Lot of Satin Jacques and Hip Blouses—Colors seal, navy, black, jockey, white and flesh; regular \$4.95. Thursday Special \$1.95

Dimity, Lawn and Voile Blouses—Tailored and lace trimmed, wonderful values; regular \$2.95. Thursday Special 95c

French Voile Blouses—With lots of hand drawn work and filet lace, square, round, ruffles and V shape necks; regular \$3.95. Thursday Special \$1.49

White Voile Blouses—Collar, cuffs and front trimmed with knife plaiting, turnover cuffs, sizes 36 and 38 only; regular \$1.95. Thursday Special 39c

Hat and Scarf Sets—All wool, in combination colors, extra good value; regular \$3.95. Thursday Special \$1.95

Slip-on Sweaters—Made of all wool and very good styles, block design, others in plain design; colors jockey, seal, navy, black, maroon and gray; regular \$2.95. Thursday Special \$1.49

Brushed Worsted Tuxedo Sweaters—Plain and combination colors, two pockets and extra long sash; regular \$5.95. Thursday Special \$3.95

Second Floor

## Rug and Drapery Section

Ruffled Curtains—Plain scrim, plain marquisette and dotted marquisette, all hemstitched band and tie-backs; regular prices \$1.00 to \$2.95 pair. Thursday Special, 85c to \$2.25 Pair

Scrim, Marquisette and Filet Net Dutch Curtains—Some plain and some face edge trimmed; regular prices 98c to \$2.98 pair. Thursday Special 75c to \$2.50 Pair

Double Bordered Scrim and Marquisette—Also crossbar for long and short curtains; regular price 35c yard. Thursday Special 25c Yard

Odd Pairs of Portieres—Used for samples, slightly soiled. Thursday Special 25% Off

Remnants of Scrim, Marquisette—In plain and fancy bordered; can be used for short curtains; regular prices 29c to 59c values. Thursday Special 15c Yard

Remnants of Best Grade Silkallne—Slightly soiled, run from 1 to 3 yards, 36 inch wide; regular price 29c yard. Thursday Special 15c Yard

Crotonnes—30 in. to 36 in. wide, on good heavy cloth; regular prices 39c to \$1.25 yard. Thursday Special 25c to 98c Yard

27x60 Heavy Axminster Rugs—Slightly imperfect; regular price \$6.98. Thursday Special \$4.50 Each

36x63 Heavy Axminster Rugs—Slightly imperfect; regular price \$7.98 each. Thursday Special \$5.98 Each

36x72 Heavy Axminster Rugs—Slightly imperfect; regular price \$9.50 each. Thursday Special \$6.98 Each

9x12 Tapestry Rugs—Slight imperfection, 2 patterns only; regular price \$25 each. Thursday Special \$14.50 Each

9x12 Axminster Rugs—Slight imperfection, 4 patterns only; regular price \$42.50 each. Thursday Special \$23.50 Ea.

9x12 Heaviest Axminster Rugs—Slight imperfection; regular price \$50.00 each. Thursday Special \$32.50 Each

Second Floor

## The Great Underpriced Basement

### MEN'S FURNISHING SECTION

Men's Jersey Ribbed Shirts and Drawers; \$1.00 value, at 75c

Men's Heavy Fleece Lined Shirts and Drawers; \$1.00 value, at 69c

Men's Jersey Ribbed Union Suits; \$2.00 value, at \$1.50

Boys' Jersey Ribbed Union Suits; \$1.00 value, at 79c, 2 for \$1.50

Men's Heavy Sweaters; \$2.00 value, at \$1.50

Men's Heather Hose; 25c value, at 15c pair

### SHOE SECTION

Misses' and Children's Gun Metal Hi-Cut Shoes, all sizes, 8½ to 11 and 11½ to 13; regular price \$2.00. Thursday Special \$1.49

Misses' and Children's Black Jersey Leggings, all sizes 6 to 11. Thursday Special 69c

Women's Felt Slippers, with soft chrome soles, all colors and sizes 3 to 7; regular price \$1. Thursday Special 79c

Misses' and Children's Red Sole Rubbers, the kind that wears, all sizes 8 to 10½ and 11 to 12; regular price \$1. Thursday Special 75c

Women's Rubbers to fit medium and low heels, all sizes 3 to 9. Thursday Special 59c

Men's Heavy One-Buckle Overshoes, all sizes 6 to 10; regular price \$2. Thursday Special \$1.49

Men's Short Rubber Boots, knee length, mostly samples, 6 to 9. Thursday Special \$2.98

Boys' Tan or Black Hi-Cut Storm Shoes with buckles at top, all sizes 3 to 5½; regular price \$3. Thursday Special \$1.98

Basement

### BOYS' CLOTHING SECTION

Boys' Sheepskin Coats, 8 to 18 years, heavy brown moleskin cloth, belt all round, large shawl collar, muff and flap pockets; \$8.50 value, at \$5.95

### HOUSE FURNISHINGS SECTION

Campbell's Gas Irons, complete with 6 ft. of metal tubing; regular price \$2.98. Thursday Special to Close \$1.39 Each

Wash Boilers, slightly damaged, made of IX charcoal tin with 14 oz. copper bottoms; regular price \$2.49. Thursday Special to Close 98c Each

Home Extension Closet Rods—No. 3 extension, 37 in. to 49 in., No. 4 extension 47 in. to 59 in.; regular price 98c and \$1.10. Thursday Special to Close 49c Each

Wonder Window Washer Pads, cleans windows like magic. Thursday Special 7c Each

Inverted Gas Mantles; regular price 12½c. Thursday Special 9c Each

### READY-TO-WEAR SECTION

Women's Bloomers, made of fine jersey, flesh and white; 50c value 39c

Women's Bandeaux, made of heavy broadcloth, elastic belt; 50c value 39c

Petticoats, made of fine satcen, black and plain colors, also figured flounces; \$2.00 value, \$1.49

Women's Drawers, made of fine cambric, lace and, hamburger trimmed, regular and outsize; 89c value 55c

Children's Gowns, made of heavy flannel; 50c value 39c

Aprons, made of fine percale, trimmed with plain colors; 69c value 50c

Children's Bathrobes, made of heavy blanket, sizes 2 to 6 years; \$1.00 value, at 49c

### DRY GOODS SECTION

Bleached Cotton Remnants, 36 inches wide, good quality; 17c value, at 12½c Yard

Bleached Cotton, 36 inches wide, very fine quality; 22c value, at 15c Yard

Lockwood Cotton, 36 inches wide, full pieces; 19c value, at 15c Yard

Pepperell, 81-inch Unbleached Seamless Sheet, at 45c Yd.

Long Cloth, 36 inches wide, fine quality for fine underwear; 25c value, at \$1.65 for 10 yards

Curtain Muslin, 36 inches wide, dotted and figured; 29c value, at 15c Yard

Mill Remnants of Heavy Cretonne, all new designs; 29c value, at 15c Yard

Heavy Twill Domet Flannel, in white, blue and pink; 19c value, at 15c Yard

Figured Mercerized Satcen, in large variety of patterns for coat lining; 69c value, at 39c Yard

All Linen Crash Toweling, in remnants, unbleached, at 10c Yard

Bleached Mercerized Damask Remnants, heavy quality, 35c Yard

Heavy Cotton Buck Towels, 18x36; regular 19c value, at 10c Each

Odd Remnants, 27 to 36 inches wide, colored 5c Yard

Remnants of Curtain Scrim, white, cream and ceru, at 5c Yard

Yard Wide Oatting Flannel, in stripes, remnants; 19c value, at 12½c Yard

Bleached and Unbleached Crash, part linen, in remnants; 19c value 12½c Yard

### DRY GOODS SECTION

Mill Remnants of Bangalow Crotonnes, 36 inches wide, for comfortable covering, 15c Yd.

40 inch Unbleached Cotton, in remnants, good fine quality; 15c value, at 10c Yard

Bleached Sheets, made of good standard quality of sheeting, 81x90; regular value \$1.59, at \$1.10 Each

Mill Remnants of Art Satcen, yard wide; 39c value, at 19c Yard

Bleached Domet and Fancy Stripe Oatting Flannel, 27 inches wide, in large remnants, at 10c Yard

Fancy Plaid Bed Blankets, double bed size; \$2.98 value, at \$1.89 Pair

50 Doz. Dish Towels, made of linen finish toweling, 6½c Each

Children's Jersey Fleece Shirts and Drawers, broken sizes; 39c value, at 25c Each

Children's and Misses' Jersey Waist Union Suits, heavy weight; \$1.00 value, at 59c a Suit

Children's Heavy Fleece Sleeping Garments; \$1.00 value, at 49c Each

Boys' and Girls' Heavy Ribbed Hose; 39c value, at 19c Pair

Curtain Scrim, remnants, white, single, border; 18c value, at 3c Yard

Bates 32 inch Zephyr Gingham, in short remnants, easily matched for rompers, houses, shirts and children's dresses; 12½c Yard

Women's Heavy Cotton Hose, ribbed top; 25c value, at 15c Pair

Women's Cashmerette Hose, black with grey heel and toe; 25c value, at 15c Pair

## JANUARY HARDWARE BARGAINS

MAIL BOXES, 75c, \$1.25  
SCREW DRIVERS, 4c to 19c  
HAMMERS AND HATCHETS, 50c  
HORSE FEED BAGS, 79c  
PICTURE CORD, pkg., 3c  
CORKSCREWS, 4c  
MIXED BRADS, lb., 7c  
FINE WIRE, per spool, 5c  
DUST PANS, 11c  
DIPPERS, agate and tin, 19c  
CAN OPENERS, 4c  
ASH SIFTERS, 39c  
COMBINATION AXE AND PICK, \$2.00  
FILES, 9c to 14c  
CUPBOARD DOOR CATCH, 5c  
FENCE STRETCHER, 50c  
SUCTION PUMPS, 39c

## CARPENTERS' CLAMPS

Large and strong 40c and 50c



## FAIRBURN'S

FRESHLY CUT Pork Chops 35c value 25c  
OUR BEST Spring Lamb Chops 45c value 33c  
FRESHLY PACKED MAINE Canned Clams Large 6 oz. Can 10c  
FRESHLY MADE Creamery Butter 58c Value 53c  
OUR ADS MEAN WHAT THEY SAY THEY MEAN

You Can Do It Better With Gas

## In the Interest of Better Service

In addition to our regular men who are always at the service of our customers, we have engaged an extra crew to visit very house in Lowell to inspect all gas appliances.

As stated in the heading of this advertisement the work is being undertaken in the interest of better service.

The service men wear the official Lowell Gas Light Company badge. Please be sure that anyone who calls to inspect your gas appliances wears this badge. The inspection work is being done free of all cost to consumers, unless it is necessary to furnish new parts or supplies.

## Lowell Gas Light Company

C. R. PRITCHARD, Gen. Mgr.

You Can Do It Better With Gas





MISS CLARA COOPER, CINCINNATI SCHOOL TEACHER, INSTRUCTING A DEAF PUPIL THROUGH A POWERFUL RADIO AMPLIFIER.

## TALKING INTO YESTERDAY

It's One of the "Commonplace" Wonders of Radio

The wonders of radio have occurred so often that they are beginning to become commonplace.

Take the radio invention to make the deaf hear. One came out about a year ago and brought to its inventor the blessings of many men and women who were hard of hearing.

Since then other inventions for the deaf have come out, practically all based on the idea of affording the deaf hearing by the sense of feeling the vibrations produced through the radio.

The latest type is a powerful amplifier which is being used in the Cincinnati public schools for the benefit of the children who are hard of hearing.

The teacher speaks into the amplifier and the child, sitting beside her, listens in through the ear phones. Few marvel any longer over the almost instantaneous spanning of space radio. In fact, tell a person that a message sent by radio today could be heard three minutes later 300 miles away yesterday and he would be interested merely in knowing how that is possible.

This was accomplished only recently in a test on amateur radio transmission between Hiram Percy Maxim, president of the American Radio Relay League at Hartford, Conn., and Clifford Dow, who was 5000 miles off in Hawaii. One amateur in Sleepy Eye, Minn., was used to relay the message.

At about five o'clock in the morning, eastern time, Maxim sent his message and got an answer from Hawaii in six minutes. The peculiar part about the test is that the same message was heard in Hawaii at about 11:30 the evening before! And it was three minutes after Maxim had wireless his message.

Of course that was Pacific time, which is nearly six hours behind eastern time.

Those wonders are only two of the results obtained from the invention of the vacuum tube. Yet the vacuum tube was known to regular line telephony before it was introduced to radio. J. J. Carey, vice president of the Bell Telephone system, was investigated in 1913 with the result that today they are beginning to replace powerful machines for radio conversation across the Atlantic.

## Radio Broadcasts

STATION WNAC, BOSTON

1 p. m.—Dance music by Shepard Colonial orchestra; selections on the phonograph and player-piano. 6:30 p. m.—Concert program by the Knickerbocker club of Boston. Norman Arnold first tenor, Ralph Harlow second tenor, Walter Kipper first bass, Cameron Steele second bass, Robert Nichols, accompanist. The Dedoulin Love Song (Foster), by the club; Love Songs, a Little Gift of Roses (Open-shaw), Rona Jeffery; Bonny Dore (Anderson), by the club; Scotch Songs, Cameron Steele; Rose in the Bud, Rona Jeffery; Crail Song, Lohengrin (Wagner), Norman Arnold; Smiles (Harlow) and George (Henderson), by the club; are from La Gioconda and Three O'Clock in the Morning (Kahn), by the club.

STATION WHI, MEDFORD HILLSIDE 3 p. m.—Concert by the McDowell club orchestra of 45 strings. Mr. Geo. Longley, conductor. Broadcast from Jordan hall.

Serenade (Tchadikowsky), Pazzo in Forma di Sonata, Beethoven and Watterin by the orchestra; In the Dark of an Indian Sky (Stephens), by the Poul-tin (Ward), Les Beaux Jours (Puzos), Norman Arnold; Smiles (Harlow) and George (Henderson), by the club; are from La Gioconda and Three O'Clock in the Morning (Kahn), by the club.

6 p. m.—Children's hour; animal stories read by "Uncle Billy." Musical accompaniment by "Uncle Billy." 8:30 p. m.—Closing report on farmers' produce market report (135 minutes). Livestock markets and butter and eggs reports (45 minutes).

6:30 p. m.—Boston police reports. 6:30 p. m.—Boston police reports. "Wool Market News," a weekly review of the wool industry. 8:45 p. m.—Evening program: The family circle, The Big Circus, An Amusing Retort, A Record Exchange, Not to Be Reaten and Red Tape—at a Modern Price, The Fight Against Diphtheria, Dr. Burton A. Wolcott of the American Red Cross. Just Boy a story. Musical program to be announced by radio-phon.

## 725 LAID UP WITH SHOVELERS' CRAMP

BOSTON, Jan. 17.—Shovelers' cramp has cost the city and the street railway company the services of 725 men, as a result of the almost constant labors with the recurring snows of the past fortnight. Public Works Commissioner Joseph A. Bourke said yesterday that 400 laborers were on the city's sick list, laid up with cramps and colds. General Manager Edward Dam said 225 of the Boston Elevated railway's gangs were at home unable to work for a time after days spent fighting the snows. The aggregate cost in money to city and company for snow removal was placed at nearly \$500,000 in the officials' statements.

OF WHITE MUSLIN An unusual evening frock from Paris is developed in white muslin, trimmed with rows and rows of tiny roses in silver brocade, with a huge bow of silver cloth at the side.

# More New Sections Added to the January Department Clearances

WATCH FOR THE ORANGE CARDS

## A. G. Pollard Co.

THE STORE FOR THRIFTY PEOPLE

### Handkerchiefs, Neckwear and Aprons

Men's All Linen Odd Initial Handkerchiefs, regular price 50c. Clearance Sale ..... 35c  
Men's Colored Initial Handkerchiefs, regular price 30c. Clearance Sale ..... 25c  
Men's Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, regular price 15c. Clearance Sale ..... 3 for 25c  
Women's All Linen Odd Initial Handkerchiefs, regular price 25c. Clearance Sale ..... 17c  
Women's Colored Linen Odd Initial Handkerchiefs, regular price 50c. Clearance Sale ..... 25c  
Women's Embroidered Handkerchiefs, regular price 25c and 29c. Clearance Sale ..... 12½c  
Women's Embroidered Handkerchiefs, regular price 39c. Clearance Sale ..... 19c  
Men's Odd Initial Handkerchiefs, regular price 25c. Clearance Sale ..... 12½c  
Hamburg Edges, 2 to 6 inches wide, regular price 20c and 25c a yard. Clearance Sale ..... 5 Yards for 75c  
Venice Lace Collars, regular price 50c. Clearance Sale ..... 39c  
Lace Collar and Cuff Sets, regular price \$1.00. Clearance Sale ..... 39c  
Linen Vests with cuffs, regular price \$1.00 and \$1.50. Clearance Sale ..... 50c  
Pique Vests with cuffs, regular price \$2.00 and \$3.00. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.00  
Organdie Vests, regular price \$1.00. Clearance Sale ..... 50c  
Organdie Gimpes, regular price \$3.00. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.00  
Eyelet Bramble Collar and Cuff Sets. Clearance Sale ..... 25c  
Organdie Flouncings in colors orchid, peach, blue and green, regular price \$1.49 a yard. Clearance Sale, yard ..... 75c  
Silk Scarfs, regular price \$1.49. Clearance Sale ..... 75c  
Net Camisole Vests, trimmed with Venice lace, regular price \$1.00. Clearance Sale ..... 50c  
Brush Wool Scarf and Hat in navy, brown and jade, regular price \$3.50. Clearance Sale, (4 only) ..... \$1.95  
Soiled and Mussed Aprons, lace and Hamburg trimmed, regular price 50c, 75c, \$1.00. Clearance Sale ..... 39c, 50c, 75c

Street Floor

### Kid and Fabric Gloves

Women's Fabric Gloves—Black and grey; regular price 75c. Clearance Sale ..... 25c  
Women's 12-Button Fabric Gloves and 1-Clasp Duplex Fabric Gloves—Regular prices \$1 and \$1.75. Clearance Sale ..... 39c  
Women's 2-Clasp Kid Gloves—White and tan, few black and grey; regular prices \$2.50 to \$4.00. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.15  
Women's Kid Gloves—Strap wrist and 8-button length; regular prices \$3.50 to \$4.50. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.79  
Children's Woolen Mittens and Gloves—Regular prices 50c to 79c. Clearance Sale ..... 29c and 39c

Street Floor

### Sheffield Plate

Bread Trays—Regular price \$5.00. Clearance Sale ..... \$3.00  
Sandwich Trays—Regular price \$3.75. Clearance Sale ..... \$2.75  
Handled Sandwich Trays—Regular price \$6.00. Clearance Sale ..... \$4.25  
Children's Cups—Regular price \$1.00. Clearance Sale ..... 50c  
Teapot Stands—Regular price \$1.75. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.00  
Individual Peppers and Salts—Regular price \$1.00 pair. Clearance Sale ..... 50c Pair  
Handled Bon Bon Dishes—Regular price \$4.25. Clearance Sale ..... \$2.75  
Syrup Jugs—Regular price \$3.75. Clearance Sale ..... \$2.50  
Tea Balls—Regular price 59c. Clearance Sale ..... 39c  
Teacups—Regular price \$1.00. Clearance Sale ..... 69c  
Teacups—Regular price 70c. Clearance Sale ..... 50c  
Napkin Rings—Regular price \$1.00. Clearance Sale ..... 59c  
Shaving Mirrors on stands (2 only)—Regular price \$2.00. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.00  
"Shino" Polishing Cloths—Regular price 50c. Clearance Sale ..... 39c

Street Floor

### Sterling Silverware

Sterling Silver Napkin Rings—Regular price \$3.00. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.89  
Sterling Silver Napkin Rings—Regular price \$2.50. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.50  
Sterling Silver Napkin Rings—Regular price \$1.25. Clearance Sale ..... 69c  
Gravy Ladles—Sterling silver handles; regular price \$3.00. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.00  
Cold Meat Forks—Sterling silver handles; regular price \$3.00. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.00  
Cream Ladles—Sterling silver handles; regular price \$2.00. Clearance Sale ..... 75c  
Cheese Knives—Sterling silver handles; regular price \$2.00. Clearance Sale ..... 75c  
Carving Sets—Regular price \$15.00. Clearance Sale ..... \$7.50  
Carving Sets—Regular price \$11.75. Clearance Sale ..... \$5.50  
Carving Sets—Regular price \$8.75. Clearance Sale ..... \$4.50  
Carving Sets—Regular price \$6.75. Clearance Sale ..... \$3.50  
Carving Sets—Regular price \$4.75. Clearance Sale ..... \$2.25

Street Floor

### JEWELRY

Coin Cases, regular prices \$3.00 and \$10.00. Clearance Sale ..... \$3.98, \$5.00

Bracelets, regular prices 50c, \$1.00 and \$1.50. Clearance Sale ..... 35c, 75c and \$1.39

Baby Bracelets, solid gold, two only; regular price \$5.00. Clearance Sale ..... \$3.50

Waklemars, solid gold; regular prices \$5.00, \$6.00, \$6.75 and \$7.75. Clearance Sale ..... \$3.00, \$3.75, \$4.50 and \$5.50

Sweater Cuff Pins, regular prices \$3.00 and \$5.00. Clearance Sale ..... \$2.00 and \$3.00

Baby Pins, solid gold; regular price \$3.75. Clearance Sale ..... \$2.50

Friendship Pins, solid gold; regular price \$1.50. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.00

Brooch Pins, solid gold; regular prices \$5.00, \$6.00 and \$8.50. Clearance Sale ..... \$3.50, \$4.50, \$6.00

Cameo Brooches, solid gold; regular prices \$15, \$16.50, \$17.50 and \$18. Clearance Sale ..... \$10, \$11, \$12 and \$13

Necklaces, solid gold; regular prices \$5.00 and \$8.50. Clearance Sale ..... \$3.50 and \$6.00

Necklaces, gold filled; regular price \$3.50. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.50

Pendants, regular prices \$2.00, \$3.00 and \$3.50. Clearance Sale ..... 75c, \$2.00 and \$2.50

Rosaries, warranted 20 years; regular price \$2.75. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.69

Slipper Pins, sterling silver, two pairs only; regular price \$7.50 pair. Clearance Sale ..... \$5.00 Pair

Slipper Pins, regular price \$2.00 pair. Clearance Sale, \$1 Pair

Friendship Pins, sterling silver; regular prices \$1.50 and \$2.50. Clearance Sale ..... 75c and \$1.00

Bar Pins, regular prices \$3.98, \$5.00 and \$8.50. Clearance Sale, \$2.50, \$3.50 and \$6.50

Girdles, regular prices \$1.00 and \$2.00. Clearance Sale, 75c and \$1.25

Feather Fans, three only; were \$15, \$18 and \$20. Clearance Sale ..... \$12, \$14 and \$16

Pearl Beads, indestructible; regular price \$3.98. Clearance Sale ..... \$2.50

Earrings, regular prices \$1.00 and \$1.50. Clearance Sale, 75c and \$1.19

Street Floor

### HAIR NETS

Bluebird Hair Nets, double and single mesh; regular price \$1.50 dozen. Clearance Sale, Dozen ..... \$1.00

Double Mesh Hair Nets, cap shape; regular prices \$1.25 and \$1.50 dozen. Clearance Sale, Dozen ..... 89c

Single Mesh Cap Hair Nets, regular price \$1.50 dozen. Clearance Sale, Dozen ..... 79c

Single Mesh Cap Shape Hair Nets, regular price \$1 dozen. Clearance Sale, Dozen, 59c

Street Floor

### PICTURES AND PICTURE FRAMES

Fred Thompson's Hand Colored Pictures, regular price \$1.00. Clearance Sale ..... 50c

Platinoid Picture Frames, regular price \$2.50. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.25

Platinoid Picture Frames, regular price \$2.00. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.00

Platinoid Picture Frames, regular price \$1.00. Clearance Sale ..... 50c

Platinoid Picture Frames, regular price 75c. Clearance Sale ..... 39c

Platinoid Picture Frames, regular price 50c. Clearance Sale ..... 29c

Platinoid Picture Frames, regular price 39c. Clearance Sale ..... 19c

Street Floor

## A. G. Pollard Co.

THE STORE FOR THRIFTY PEOPLE

### Millinery

Trimmed Hats—Regular prices \$10.00 to \$15.00. Clearance Sale ..... \$5.00

Trimmed Hats—Regular prices \$4.98 to \$7.50. Clearance Sale ..... \$2.00 and \$2.98

Banded Velour and Felt Hats—Regular prices \$3.98 to \$5.98. Clearance Sale ..... \$2.00

Children's Ready-to-Wear Hats—Regular prices \$1.98 and \$2.98. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.00

Children's Suede-like Hats and Tams—Regular price 98c. Clearance Sale ..... 69c

Fancy Feathers and Flowers ..... 1-3 Off the Reg. Price

Palmer Street Store

### Candlesticks and Crucifixes

Candlesticks—Gold and silver finish; regular price \$7.50 pair. Clearance Sale ..... \$2.75 Pair

Book Ends—(1 set only); regular price \$9.00 set. Clearance Sale ..... \$3.50 Set

Ornament—(Bentrice), gold finish; regular price \$5.00. Clearance Sale ..... \$2.50

Crucifixes—Gold and silver finish; regular prices \$1.50 and \$1.80. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.00

Crucifixes—Gold and silver finish; regular price \$1.00. Clearance Sale ..... 50c

Street Floor

### Shell Goods and Hair Ornaments

Casque Combs—White stone settings; regular price \$2.50. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.00

Casque Combs—Blue, green and white stone settings; regular price \$2.25. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.25

Casque Combs—Assorted stone settings; regular price \$1.00. Clearance Sale ..... 59c

Back Combs—Assorted stone settings; regular price \$1.00. Clearance Sale ..... 59c

Back Combs—Assorted stone settings; regular price 50c. Clearance Sale ..... 39c

Barrettes—Assorted stone settings; regular price \$2.25. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.25

Barrettes—Assorted stone settings; regular price \$1.00. Clearance Sale ..... 69c

Barrettes—White stone settings; regular price 50c. Clearance Sale ..... 25c

Tuck Combs—White stone settings; regular price \$1.00. Clearance Sale ..... 50c

Hair Pins—Assorted stone settings; regular price \$2.00. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.50

Hair Pins—Colored stone settings; regular price \$1.00. Clearance Sale ..... 50c

Hair Pins—White stone settings; regular price 50c. Clearance Sale ..... 25c

Spanish Combs—Carved; regular price \$4.50. Clearance Sale ..... \$3.00

Spanish Combs—Carved; regular price \$2.50. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.50

Spanish Combs—Carved; regular price \$1.00. Clearance Sale ..... 59c

Spanish Combs—Plain and carved; regular price 75c. Clearance Sale ..... 25c

Back Combs—Plain, shell color only; regular price 20c. Clearance Sale ..... 15c

Side Combs—Shell color only; regular price 29c pair. Clearance Sale ..... 15c Pair

Hair Pins—Shell color only; regular price 10c a box. Clearance Sale ..... 2 boxes for 15c

Street Floor

### Cut Glass

Sherbets—Butterfly cutting; regular price \$3.75 ½ doz. Clearance Sale ..... \$2.50 ½ Doz.

Flower Vases—Regular price \$1.00. Clearance Sale ..... 69c

Ice Tea and Lemonade Sets—Covered jug and six glasses; regular price \$3.00 set. Clearance Sale ..... \$2.29 set

Water Sets—Jug and six glasses; regular price \$3.00 set. Clearance Sale ..... \$2.19 set

Night Sets—Regular price \$1.30. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.00

3 Pegged Nappies—Regular price 79c. Clearance Sale ..... 50c

Oil Bottles—Regular price \$2.25. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.69

Syrup Jugs—Regular price \$2.50. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.75

French Dressing Bottles—Regular price \$2.50. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.50

Iridescent Candy Jars—Regular price \$1.00. Clearance Sale ..... 75c

Cracker and Cheese Dishes—Regular price \$1.75. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.25

Candy Boxes—Regular price \$2.50. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.75

Candy Boxes—Regular price \$1.50. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.00

Marmalade Jars—Regular price \$1.50. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.00

Flower Vases—Regular price \$3.50. Clearance Sale ..... \$2.25

Peppers and Salts—Sterling silver tops; regular price \$2.25 pair. Clearance Sale ..... \$1.25 Pair

Colored Flower Bowls and Vases—Clearance Sale ..... \$1.00 Each

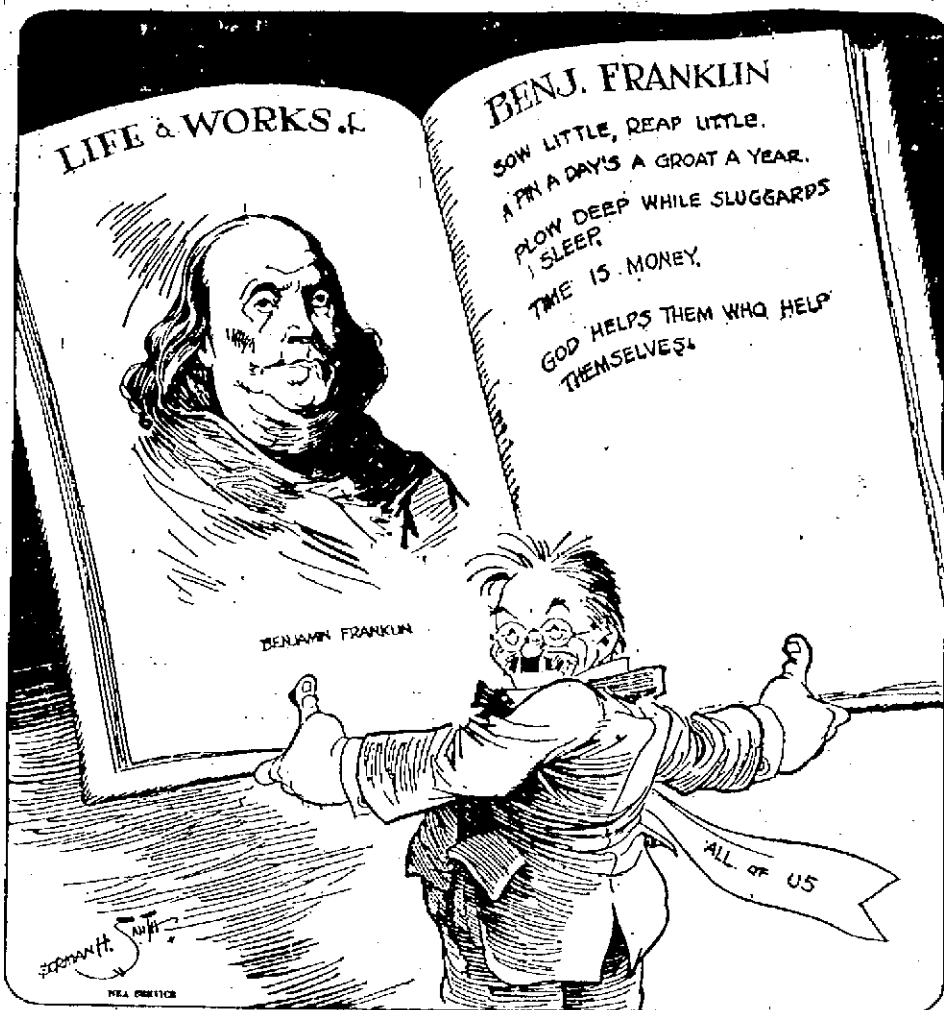
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## THE THRIFT WEEK PRIMER



## REORGANIZED CADETS HOLD FIRST DRILL

The first drill of the reorganized O. M. I. Cadets was held in the East Merrimack street armory last evening, and consisted of setting-up exercises, calisthenics and regulation drills, under the direction of former Major William Conroy. Rev. Denis A. Sullivan, spiritual director, gave a short talk on the exhibition drill which comes in April, and the summer camp in Wilmington. He also awarded a world series baseball to Private Elmer Ryan, the holder of the lucky ticket at the anniversary celebration last week. The ball was donated by Bob Hart, big league umpire.

Announcement was made that the cast for the proposed minstrel show had been chosen and that rehearsals would begin immediately under the direction of John O'Brien and John O'Connor. The show will be given after Lent. Plans are also under way to organize a second basketball team.

**To Cure a Cold in One Day**  
Take Laxative BROMO QUININE (Tablets.) Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. The box bears the signature of E. W. Grove. 30c.

With Thomas Kelly, star high school football player, as captain. Major William M. Conroy, Adj. Francis Gargan and Capt. Joseph M. Reilly, U. S. A., of the executive committee, will supervise the drilling of the cadets.

## TALKED ON THE SYMBOLISM OF DREAMS

Rev. Joseph P. Kennedy, pastor of the Highland-Union church was the speaker before the Women's Educational club of the Central M. E. church yesterday afternoon. He gave a comprehensive talk on the symbolism of dreams as worked out by Professor Sigmund Freud and the value of psycho-analysis, explaining that dreams are records which have been registered on the sub-conscious mind. The Freud system is complicated, he said, and a little bit too sweeping in its symbolism.

Prior to the lecture, Mrs. J. H. Maguire, president of the Educational club, stated that a suggestion had been made to draw up a constitution and by-laws. A motion to this effect was made by Mrs. Robert Gardner and the following committee appointed: Mrs. F. D. Foss, Mrs. John Rulo, Mrs. John Fleming, Mrs. Hadley, Mrs. A. G. Dinsmore and Mrs. H. J. Whiteley.

## NEW BOSTON MAN REPORTS FIRST ROBIN

Robin No. 1, 1923 model, warranted fast color, was reported today. When D. H. Coburn of New Boston, N. H., was trying to shovel a tunnel through a mountain of snow where his famous cow barns lay hidden, he heard a gentle chirp and then a few more chirps from an alleged walnut tree. Investigation revealed a robin with all summer finery still intact and colors brightly shimmering. Said robin appeared to be harlequin spring or something. At any rate, Mr. Coburn is a truthful man.

## COLLAR AND BLANKET FOR PRIZE WINNER

Fred Williams, owner of the prize terrier, "Grey Dick," was presented a beautiful dog collar and blanket at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Kirkpatrick of Epping street, on Monday evening last, by members of the Lowell Kennel club. It was Mr. Williams' birthday and there was an excellent entertainment provided, with congratulations by Allan G. Williams, song by Mrs. Allan Williams and piano selections by Master James Kirkpatrick. Refreshments were also served.

## ANNUAL REPORT BY EMPLOYMENT BUREAU

Among annual reports submitted to the city council last night was that of Cornelius F. Cronin, director of the civic employment bureau. During the year the bureau placed in positions 1225 men and women, and received nearly 6000 applications for work of all kinds. A total of 487 firms and individuals filed requests for employment with total positions available numbering 2686.

In part, the report says: Not only has the bureau concerned itself with putting men and women to work, but it has also taken care of families in want, who need only a little assistance to tide them over their difficulties until they get employment. For instance, during the year the bureau gave 516 families, orders, for coal, wood, groceries, clothing, shoes and rubbers. The furnishing of shoes and rubbers is an especially important part of the bureau's work because the charity department does not furnish these articles. Director Cronin says that he has found many cases in which children have been prevented from going to school in stormy weather because of lack of proper protection for their feet. During the recent series of snowstorms, he says,

## Bald Thirty Years

A Prominent California Hotel Owner

"I bought two bottles of your Hair Grower from a local barber and used it with very satisfactory results on my head that has been bald for thirty years. Please send me six more by parcel post, collect."—E. W. Savage, Hotel Halsey, 50 Market Street, Venice, California.

Griffin's Hair Grower is the best remedy yet known for falling hair, itch and promoting GROWTH, even on a bald head. More than 200 Lowell men now using it with great success. Sold at Sheard, McCord's, Dows, Howard's, Calves, City Hall, Lowell Pharmacy, Thomson Drug Co. and Terry's and Riley's Barber Shops.—Adv.

## THE LIFE OF A HOME

A healthy, happy, contented wife is the life and joy of the home and the greatest inspiration a man can have, yet how many homes in America are blighted by the ill-health and sufferings of the wife and mother. It may be backache, headaches, the tortures of a displacement or some other ailment peculiar to her sex, which makes her irritable, despondent and her whole life a burden. Every woman in this condition should rely upon Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs, to restore her to health and happiness, for statistics prove that it benefits 98 out of every 100 women who try it.—Adv.

## For Cold on the Chest

Musterole is easy to apply and it does not blister like the old-fashioned mustard plaster. Musterole is a clean, white ointment, made with oil of mustard. Simply massage it in gently with the finger tips. You will be delighted to see how quickly it brings relief.

Get Musterole at your drug store, 35c and 65c jars and tubes; hospital size, \$3.

Better Than a Mustard Plaster

many men were unable to go to work for the city because they had no rubbers or overshoes to protect their feet. It is in such cases as these that the bureau steps in and furnishes supplies from its relief fund.

This fund, by the way, amounted to \$1221.41 during the year, representing revenues from all sources, including \$1800 which was contributed by the local theatres last winter from their Sunday concert proceeds. The city has not contributed to this relief work, but has simply paid the salary of the director and necessary office expenses. Out of the relief fund, also, board and room have been furnished 136 individuals who had no home and who were in need of a place to eat and sleep until they could get work. The people thus assisted were not habitual charity seekers, but rather persons with an earnest desire to work as soon as they could and employment.

It has been the purpose of the bureau to steer clear of all charity work and simply to assist the man or woman looking for employment. In the scope of the bureau's work getting a job for an individual was only a small part of its service; it has tried to help the applicant to it himself to work by giving him food and lodging aid, if necessary, clothing, until he began earning money himself.

The bureau has worked in conjunction with the Lowell Social Service league, the probation officers of the district court, the St. Vincent de Paul Society and the Salvation Army. It is indebted to Martin Lydon, Mrs. William P. Daley and Mrs. Bromley Shepard for supplies contributed during the recent Christmas season and to the many individuals who have assisted the bureau at other times during the year.

REPORT BY MATRON OF CHILDREN'S HOME

Miss Ellen O'Leary, matron of the Children's Home, filed her report of the activities and work done during the past year at the meeting of the association held at the home yesterday afternoon. Edward W. Trull, treasurer, reported upon the financial status of the home. His report showed that after all bills were paid there was a little balance carried over for the present year. Mr. Trull was accorded a vote of thanks by the members for his work in behalf of the home. Hobson & Lawler company were also the recipients of a vote of thanks for the work they did at the home free of charge.

The matron reported 22 children at the home at the beginning of the year and 30 new children were received and one returned during the year. She also reports little sickness at the home. These were the cases of sleeping sickness which was sent to the isolation hospital and from there to the cottage hospital for children at Baldwinville, Mass. This case is now on the road to recovery. In regard to payment for the keeping of children, Miss O'Leary says they insist on the parents paying something when they are working. Of course some of them who are paying get out of work and then we keep the children and when the parents get work they begin to pay again."

She also reports many children taken care of for no compensation whatsoever, cases of destitute and homeless children, and the burden of their support falls on public charity. In addition to cash many contributions are received from the churches of Lowell and vicinity, bakers, farmers, and from some of the mills.

The pound party held in May, donation week in October, and Thanksgiving and Christmas bring large contributions of eatables, money and other necessities of the home.

In conclusion the report states "The New Year is bright with promise and we go forward in His Name who has said 'It is not the will of your father which is in heaven that one of these little ones should perish' and

Hunt For Missing Girl Student

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Police have been asked to look for Miss Claire Rogers, 18 year old student at Columbia university, who has been missing since Monday night. Miss Rogers, a cousin of Eugene O'Neill, the playwright, came to New York last fall after graduating from high school in her home city, New London, Conn. She was last seen about 6 o'clock Monday evening when she parted from two fellow students at Broadway and 110th streets.

Woman Leaves Bequests For Employees

CAMBRIDGE, Jan. 17.—Private bequests totalling \$300,000 and providing for every employee in her service, were revealed when the will of Lucy E. Prescott of Newton was filed for probate here yesterday. Two public bequests were also made, one giving \$6000 to the annuity fund for Congregational ministers with the stipulation that the income be paid to Rev. Zenas Crowell of East Taunton, and the other bequeathing \$5000 to the Newton Home for Aged People.

again we hear the Master say 'If ye abide in me and my words abide in you, ye shall ask what ye will and it will be done unto you.'"

The officers for the coming year are as follows:

President, Joseph W. Griffin; vice president, Edward F. Slattery; treasurer, Edward W. Trull; clerk, William W. Burrell; matron, Ellen O'Leary; committee on finances and repairs, Joseph W. Griffin, Edward F. Slattery, Edward W. Trull, Dr. William A. Johnson, James I. Ramsey and William W. Burrell; committee on management and supplies, Ellen O'Leary, Mrs. J. H. McKinley, Mrs. F. M. Bill, Mrs. Harry G. Pollard, Mrs. H. B. Fletcher, Mrs. Clara Proctor, Mrs. Clara Kilder and Mrs. Fannie Bell; committee on entertainment, Joseph W. Griffin and Mrs. Harry G. Pollard.

NEW PARISH RECTORY

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Avila Sawyer, at the corner of White and Crawford streets, in Pawtucketville, has been purchased by the Oblate Fathers as a rectory for the new St. Jeanne d'Arc parish. The final papers were passed yesterday, the property being conveyed to the Roman Catholic archbishop of Boston. The property consists of a 16-room house with all modern improvements, a large garage and 10,000 square feet of land.

LOWELL NATIONAL BANK

The officers and directors of the Lowell National bank were re-elected yesterday at the annual meeting of the stockholders of the bank. They are: John L. Robertson, president, J. Munro Andrews, vice president, Arthur B. Woodworth, Peter H. Donohoe, Lucius P. Paulini, James J. Kerwin, Freeman M. Bill, Percy Cullins, J. Harry Boardman, Albert D. Milliken.

NORMAL SCHOOL LECTURE

A lecture on "The Place of Habit in Personal Development" was given at the Normal school this afternoon by Dr. Lester C. Avall of the State Normal school at Worcester. "This was the second lecture of a course of ten, the first being given on Wednesday of last week. The next lecture will be next Wednesday, Jan. 24, on 'The Habit of Good English.' Supt. of Schools Hugh J. Malley will give this lecture."

WHITE COSTUME

The rage for the all-white costume continues. White satin, gorette and tulle are effectively headed with pearls as well as crystal or colored beads.

IN SILVER OR GOLD

The bandanna kerchief has become so popular it is even heading the hall room, and is seen in gold or silver brocade, tied in a careless knot.

MITLINERY

From Paris comes the report that large haws are the most popular trimming for spring hats, and that they increasing in size with alarming rapidity.

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<b>MILK FED VEAL</b> Forequarters ..... 12¢	<b>CUDAHY'S BEST REX BRAND</b> Lean Smoked Shoulders, 13½¢ (No seconds)	<b>Fresh Ground HAMBURGER STEAK</b> Lb. .... 12½¢
<b>CHOPS</b> Veal Rib ..... 29¢ Pork Rib ..... 29¢ Lamb Rib ..... 33¢	<b>Coon Brothers CHEESE</b> We have the genuine.	<b>Fresh Ground SAUSAGE MEAT</b> Lb. .... 23¢
<b>HADDOCK</b> Not Cleaned ..... 9¢ M. Cod ..... 9¢ St. Pollock ..... 10¢	<b>Fresh PORK LIVER</b> 7¢ Lb., 4 Lbs. 25¢	<b>Our Own Make TOMATO SAUSAGE</b> Lb. .... 19¢
<b>BACON</b> By the Strip ..... 22¢	<b>BEEF LIVER</b> 10¢ Lb., 3 Lbs. 25¢	Pure Meat and Spices

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Special Prices This Week

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**Skirts**

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**Bathrobes**

Clearance group—All our fine Beacon Blanket and wide-wale corduroy robes, selling up to \$10. All sizes and a splendid choice of color effects \$5

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In purchasing up-to-the-minute wearing apparel of worthwhile quality—**THURSDAY A. M.**

**Cherry & Webb Co.**

50 Odd Coats \$5

Some startling savings offered in this special clearance group—Polaires, Herringbones and Mixtures. Mostly sport models that will be ideal for early spring wear \$5

25 Odd Suits \$5

Some unbelievable bargains in this Thursday morning clearance group—Oxfords, Jerseys and Tricotines. We don't want to quote comparative prices—it would sound ridiculous—But see them! \$5

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**Raincoats**

Dandy Rubberized Tweed Raincoats. You will need one soon, and these are wonderful bargains at this price of \$5. Many in this group should bring \$10, but clearance is the word now \$5



## DE THE CENTURY RUN

## Arrest Follows Goose Creek Flogging

Mary A. S. Tyler of Middlesex Street is 100 years Old Today

Mary A. S. Tyler, one of Lowell's oldest old ladies widely known and beloved, is quietly observing her 100th anniversary of her birth today.

Although her health recently has not been of the best, Mrs. Tyler possesses her faculties to a remarkable degree.

Afternoon, at the Tyler home, Middlesex street, the venerable held a reception to all her friends, an especial invitation having been extended to the members of the Universalist church of which she has long been a member.

Tyler was born in 1823, before the city was a municipality. She has lived a useful life, aided by her children, and has made a name for herself as a writer, writing effectively and copiously at the same time of judging more accurately the work of other writers.

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## Sun Yat Sen Forces Invade Canton

CANTON, Jan. 16.—(By the Associated Press)—Forces favorable to Sun Yat-Sen, deposed president of the southern republic, here, entered Canton this morning. Another army, composed of Yunnan-Kwangso troops, sweeping in from Sanshui, is expected here soon. Soldiers of Chen Chung-Ming, the nationalist commander, have gone over to the invaders here. Gen. Chang Kuo-Chen, representing Hsu Chung Chih, Sun's ally, has assumed charge of the city.

## Woman and Then Ends Life

INDIANAPOLIS, Me., Jan. 17.—Warren Brown of Kennebunk, who fired his temple last night, after eluding into insensibility, died today. Mrs. Nason, with whom he had been living at a Press, died today. Mrs. Nason, it was thought by physicians, died of a heart attack. She has five bullet wounds in the head. Four entered from the front, one passed through the bridge of the nose into one French. Both were married and each had a child.

## Buildings Destroyed by Fire

WESTON, N.J., Jan. 17.—(By the Associated Press)—Fire at Fukuoka destroyed this morning and was still burning at noon. The fire destroyed public buildings, two theatres, the telephone exchange and a store were burned.

## For American Girl Singers

BOSTON, Jan. 17.—Miss Maria Jeriza of the Metropolitan Opera, who has been singing in the Metropolitan Opera, has been singing in the Metropolitan Opera. She is the daughter of a well-known American family.

## Hursday Morning Specials

Boys' Department

Boys' Mackinaws—8 to 18, and Juniors' Overcoats, sizes 3 to 9. Thursday Special \$4.95

Boys' Caps—With earflaps, black plush or velvet, chinchilla; \$1.25 value. Thursday Special 69¢

Boys' Flannel Blouses—Grey and khaki; \$1.25 value. Thursday Special 79¢

Boys' Woolen Gloves—Black and grey knit; 50¢ value. Thursday Special 25¢

Boys' Suits—With 2 pairs of pants, 8 to 17; \$9.00 value. Thursday Special \$5.95

Boys' Undershirts—Ecorse, jersey rib, small sizes only, 3 to 5. Thursday Special 15¢

Boys' Leather or Wool Mitts—Thursday Special 39¢

Boys' Heavy Wool Toques—Thursday Special 50¢

## TOILET GOODS

Mavis Cold Cream Powder, Mavis Face Powder—50¢

For face extra, with every purchase of one of above Powders we will include a can of Mavis Talcum Powder—For Thursday Only.

Cold Cream and Vanishing Cream—50¢ value. Thursday Special 29¢

Face Cloths—17¢ value. Thursday Special 2 for 25¢

Djer-Kiss Perfume—\$1.50 oz. value. Thursday Special \$1.19 oz.

Mineralava Clay Pack Tube—50¢ value. Thursday Special 39¢

Pompeian Massage Cream—60¢ value. Thursday Special 43¢

Melba, Love Me, Lilac, Rose, Violet and Lily of the Valley Toilet Water—\$1.00 value. Thursday Special 69¢

Art Goods

7-Piece Unbleached Luncheon Sets—36 inch cloth with 6 napkins; regular price 89¢. Thursday Special 59¢

36 Inch Ecorse Linen Centers—New designs; regular price \$1.25. Thursday Special \$1.09

54 Inch Scarfs to Match—Regular price 98¢. Thursday Special 79¢

Stamped House Dresses—In pink and blue; regular price \$1.49. Thursday Special \$1.19

Handkerchiefs

Women's All Pure Linen Handkerchiefs—Odd initials only; regular 36¢ value. Thursday Special 25¢ Each

Women's Novelty Crepe de Chine Handkerchiefs—In white and colors; regular 29¢ value. Thursday Special 19¢

Men's All Pure Linen Handkerchiefs—Slightly counter soiled; regular 29¢ value. Thursday Special 19¢ Each

RIBBONS

Bonnet Rosettes—White, pink, blue; value 49¢ pair. Thursday Special 29¢ Pair

9 Inch Dresden Ribbon—For Camisoles, Vests and Bags; value 49¢ yard. Thursday Special 29¢ Yd.

GLOVES

Ladies' Angora Wool Gauntlet Gloves—White, grey, grey with white; values \$2.25 and \$2.49 pair. Thursday Special \$1.89 Pr.

Children's All Wool Gloves—Grey, brown and navy; value 60¢. Thursday Special 49¢ Pair

Lot of Huck Towels—Some hemstitched, others plain hemmed, union linen and fine cotton huck; regularly sell for 69¢. Thursday Special at 27¢ Each

Face Cloths—Soft and absorbent, fine colored borders to select from. Thursday Special 5¢ Each

Prescribed by physicians for more than 40 years.

**YOUR** health is too precious to risk anything except a reliable food tonic. Add to your diet this revitalizing blood maker and tissue builder

**BOVININE**

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## AMUSEMENT NOTES

H. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

One of the biggest week's opening of the present season has characterized the attendance at the H. F. Keith theatre this far. The quality of the performance given is all in every particular. Especially good are Harry Holmes and Marie La Vere, in their delightful satire known as "The Antelope." It is a top-notch act in every particular. Then there are Freda and Anthony, in a side-splitting wop act, which has come decidedly to the fore. The Gallagher and Sherrin song-fest, "The Co-Eds," and Paul & Ross, who appear in a new act, called "The Co-Eds." It is splendid. Among others who appear are Emil Barro, a delightful comedian, the Rose Revue, which has much good dancing, and the comedy acrobatics of Day and Hoy.

## THE STRAND

"Secrets of Paris," a screen version of Eugene Sue's most famous novel, "Mysteries of Paris," is due for a three-day presentation at the Strand, beginning on Thursday. The work of the famous French novelist is among the most widely read in this country. In most of the high schools and colleges Sue holds a commanding place in the world of literature. His books are filled with romance, thrilling incidents which are more or less facts than fiction. Sue lived at a time when Paris was the most notorious city in the world, and he traveled with the most notorious delinquents to get material for his works. His great work, "Mysteries of Paris," has been a guide for hundreds of fiction writers, including such authors as Victor Hugo, Charles Dickens and our own Edgar Allan Poe. The screen story of Sue's best known work, "The Hunchback of Notre-Dame," is being presented in the original version and reflects an original interpretation of the word picture of the author. There were conditions in the great French capital that will prove new and interesting to present-day followers of the screen, and they must see this particular visualization to appreciate it to the fullest. The cast engaged in its interpretation is a most unusual one, and includes Lew Cody, Montagu Love, J. Barney Sherry, Gladys Hulette, Eleanor Cassinelli, William Collier, Jr., Ross Coglan, E. E. Shannon and others of equal screen note.

William Farnum in "A Self-Made Man" is the second feature, and this also brings to the silver screen another truly interesting photoplay.

## RIALTO THEATRE

"The Real Adventure," taken from the famous novel by Harry Kitchell Webster, with Florence Vidor in the leading role, is the leading attraction for the Rialto, beginning opening on Thursday. It is a woman's picture, filled with romance and feeling, and shows some wonderful acting. Other features on the same program include Jack Hoville in "Diamond Castle," also Ruth Roland in "The Timber Queen," and Eddie Lyons in a comedy, "Oh, Daddy."

On Thursday night Manager Hammond is inaugurating an event known as "Opportunity Night," in which every person in Lowell possessing an entertaining talent is invited to participate. Three prizes, \$10, \$10 and \$5 are offered for the best performance. Leave your name and address at the box office and appear on the platform Thursday night.

## WAMESET NATIONAL BANK

The stockholders of the Wameset National Bank held their regular meeting yesterday afternoon. All of the officers were re-elected, and the board of directors was also returned to office with the addition of Mr. Frank B. Kenney as a new member.

The directors are: Frank S. Bean, Frank H. Haynes, Charles H. Goulding, Charles H. Warren, William J. Burbeck, Frank B. Kenney, John K. Whitcomb, Franklin S. Pever, Charles H. McIntire and Harry R. Rice.

## LEGION AUXILIARY

American Legion auxiliary to Post 87 of Lowell held its first meeting for 1923 on Monday night, with the newly elected officers. A Valentine party is to be held some time in February. The new president made an earnest appeal for support during the coming year and asked former members to renew their membership.

## MOTHER! MOVE

## CHILD'S BOWELS

"California Fig Syrup" is Child's Best Laxative



Even a sick child loves the "fruity" taste of "California Fig Syrup." If the little stomach is upset, tongue is coated or if your child is cross, feverish, full of cold, or has colic, a teaspoonful will never fail to open the bowels. In a few hours you can see for yourself how thoroughly it works all the constipation poison, sour bile and waste from the tender, little bowels and gives you a well, playful child again.

Millions of mothers keep "California Fig Syrup" handy. They know a teaspoonful took a sick child to bed tomorrow. Ask your druggist for genuine "California Fig Syrup" which has directions for babies and children of all ages printed on bottle. Mother! You must say "California" or you may get an imitation as a trap. Adv.

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

WELL, BROTHER HOOT OWLS - SCRAPE YOUR EYES ON ME IN THIS SET OF DIGNITY DUDS! - I BOUGHT THIS SPREAD WITH THE CHECK FOR FIFTY CHEERS I GOT FROM MY UNCLE HUGO! - WHAT'S THU' VERDICT?

HA-HA - ALL YOU NEED NOW IS A MENU AN' A PLATTER - IF I'D A KNOWN YOU WERE GONNA BE AS STUPID AS THIS WITH YOUR MONEY I'D A TAKEN YOU TO A SLY FRIEND OF MINE AN' HE'D A SOLD YOU A TANDEM BIKE AN' A SNARE DRUM!

DON'T LET 'EM HAM YOU BUS - YOU PUT YOUR MONEY IN A GOOD INVESTMENT! - I CAN GET YOU A JOB RIGHT AWAY TO STRUT TH' STREETS WITH A SIGN READING, "NO METAL CAN TOUCH YOU," ADVERTISING A NEW PATENTED KNIFE FOR EATING MASHED POTATOES!

"BUS" BUYS A SET OF DIGNITY DUDS

you might as well have the best -

**"It's the Bean"**

W. S. Quinby Company Boston - Chicago

## BOSTON LADIES' OUTFITTERS—"Store Ahead"

## 3-HOUR SALE!

VALUES THAT WILL ASTONISH THE CITY. QUANTITIES LIMITED—GET HERE EARLY.

Thursday—9 A. M. to 12 Noon

94 Fur Trimmed coats dresses stockings

Stylish new models—tailored and wrappy effects. Fur collars of Natural Raccoon, Nutria, Opossum. Every coat is silk lined. Fine materials such as bolivia, velour, herzel, all colors. Great values, at our low price \$19.75

Dresses that you'll enthrall over—advance spring styles. Every new style tendency. Materials are canton crepe, satin, tulle, point, twill, silk lace. All the new shades. Sizes for Juniors, misses, women. Stylish stunts. They are wonderful, at \$14.75

Look! Save! 1,000 Pairs Ladies' Fine Quality All Wool and Silk and Wool Stockings. Fashioned, reinforced, drop stitch and ribbed effects. All colors, all sizes. Every pair perfect. They are remarkable. Not over 3 pairs to a customer 88c

I've got 'em all guessing!

EVERYBODY WONDERS HOW I CAN GIVE SUCH WONDERFUL VALUES —THAT'S MY OWN SECRET, BUT COME AND SAVE.

197 dresses

WONDERFUL NEW STYLES

Materials are Canton crepe, tulle, velvet, point twill and tricot. Every new style feature—all colors—all sizes. Materials alone would cost more than our low price \$8.50

47 Stylish New COATS \$12.50

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47 BERRIMACK ST. Boston

Visit Our Street Floor Circulating Library—Latest Fiction 3c a Day

## LINENS AND DOMESTICS

Rich Irish Embroidery Linen Warranted all pure linen, for embroidery, etc. Thursday Special 89¢ Yd.

Rich Red Star Diaper Cloth—Keasled packages of 10 each, all perfect. Thursday Special, 10-yard piece, \$1.00

72x80 Bed Comforters—Heavy cotton filled, pure carded cotton with figured silklike covering. Thursday Special, \$2.85 Each

Outing Flannel—Heavy construction, soft nap, in a variety of stripes and colorings. Thursday Special, 10¢ Yard











ENGLISH COMPOSITION  
BRIEF BUT IMPORTANT  
WIRE DESPATCHES

Advanced Instruction to Be Provided Through State University Extension Class

Advanced instruction in English composition will be made available in Lowell this month through a state university extension class, it was announced by the Massachusetts department of education today. The course, consisting of ten weekly lessons, will be held at the Lowell high school, and will commence on Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 21, at 4.15.

Robert H. Masterson of Boston, who has been appointed instructor, said today in regard to the course: "Good writing must be more than merely grammatical. It must be well arranged, clear and impressive; it must convey effectively the writer's message to the reader. By teaching in these lessons the principles which make for clarity and force, the state aims to make students capable themselves of writing effectively and capable at the same time of judging more accurately the work of other writers."

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RECORD SENTENCE

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Jan. 17.—The longest prison sentence ever meted out in criminal court in Atlantic City was that of from 60 to 100 years, given today to Livingston Drummond, negro, convicted of highway robbery and other crimes on seven indictments.

PIMPLY? WELL, DON'T BE

People Notice It. Drive Them Off With Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets

A pimply face will not embarrass you much longer if you get a package of Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets. The skin should begin to clear after you have taken the tablets a few nights.

Close the blood, bowels and liver with Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets, the successful substitute for calomel; there's no sickness or pain after taking them.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets do that which calomel does, and just as effectively, but their action is gentle and safe instead of severe and irritating.

No one who takes Olive Tablets is ever cursed with a "dark brown taste," a bad breath, a dull, listless, "no good" feeling, constipation, torpid liver, bad disposition or pimply face.

Olive Tablets are a purely vegetable compound mixed with olive oil; you will know them by their olive color.

Dr. Edwards spent years among patients afflicted with liver and bowel complaints and Olive Tablets are the immensely effective result. Take one or two lightly for a week. See how much better you feel and look. See Venice through the famous Brenner and 30c.—Adv.

BEST For  
Sick Headache

That "L. F. Atwood's Medicine" is a safe, sure, perfect remedy for sick headache, and for stomach and bowel trouble, is the testimony of over three generations of grateful women, many of whom state they cannot keep hours without it. Large bottles, 50 cents—1 cent a dose. All dealers.

"L. F. MEDICINE CO., Portland, Maine"



**Influenza La Grippe**

Antiseptic, Pleasing, Soothing  
The penetrating odor of camphor blended with those of other healing oils make Minard's Liniment extremely pleasant to inhale. Breathe it in and Rub it in—folks have been doing both for over 65 years.

**MINARD'S FOR PAIN LINIMENT**

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—Clemens W. Landoff of Cleveland entered a plea of not guilty in the District of Columbia supreme court today to an indictment charging him, Benedict Crowell, former assistant secretary of war, and others with conspiracy to defraud the government in connection with cantonment contracts. He furnished \$5000 bond for his appearance at trial.

MANCHESTER, Jan. 17.—The roads of time and death upon the ranks of the Grand Army of the Republic have been emphasized by the action of the city of this town in relinquishing its work. The next day, however, all its property to the local posts of the Woman's Relief Corps and Sons of Veterans. Only three active members remained, with three others incapacitated by illness.

BOSTON, Jan. 17.—The 51st brigade of the 1st division of the 1st Army Corps, which was organized in 1915, today began its first year, beginning training July 7. It was announced today. The 94th division, organized reserves, will arrive in camp July 5.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Jan. 17.—The stone cutting industry is seriously handicapped by the restricted immigration into the city, which has been declared today in addressing the convention of the International Cut Stone Contractors and Quarrymen's association.

PARIS, Jan. 17.—(By the Associated Press.)—The allied council of ambassadors decided today to send an extraordinary mission to Mexico to establish a provisional inter-allied government under the authority of the French, British and Italian.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—A bill in equity charging violation of the anti-trust laws was filed in federal court today by Frank Moore, president of the Old Lot Cotton Exchange against the Western Union Telegraph Co., and the Gold and Stock Telegraph Co.

ROME, Jan. 17.—(By the Associated Press.)—Premier Mussolini, who had arranged to visit Sicily, Calabria and also the province of Potenza, stronghold of former Premier Nitti, has postponed his journey owing to the gravity of the international situation which he considers requires his presence in the capital.

BOSTON, Jan. 17.—Samuel B. Hilditch, who was charged with the murder for the fatal stabbing of Anthony Caputo on the night of January 7, at Donnelly's home, 55 Bates road, Roxbury, Mass., was arrested by local police today.

KEENE, N. H., Jan. 17.—Traffic on the Boston & Maine railroad between Keene and Lowell today was delayed several hours, when a tire on a wheel of the engine came off and made it impossible to move the train.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Jan. 17.—(By the Associated Press.)—A grand jury met today in the trial of five union miners for murder during the Herrin riots.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—Excluding coal, American railroads carried more traffic during 1922 by 15 per cent than in any previous year of their history, according to final reports compiled today by the car service division of the American railway association.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Statistics reveal that the five minor baseball leagues which are protesting the more strenuously against the recapitulation of the draft by the two major leagues were less affected by its operation last year than all of the other small leagues and that the quietest sold fewer players into fast company than their lesser companions.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Prince Andrew of Greece, accompanied by Princess Alice, a cousin of the Prince of Wales, arrived today on the Olympic, providing a change of political government in Greece.

BOSTON, Jan. 17.—The fishing seasoner Dorothy M. of Newport, R. I., held as a possible run-runner, was released by customs authorities today. The crew explained that the small quantity of liquor aboard had been brought from a boat in the bay for their own use.

CANTON, Jan. 17.—(By the Associated Press.) Six thousand Kwangtung troops supporting Sun Yat-sen, marched into the city last night and this morning. Others still are streaming in from across the Pearl river. The city is quiet, shops are closed and business is at a standstill.

STYLE SHOW BIG FEATURE  
AT K. OF P. CARNIVAL

The drawing card for the second night's entertainment of splendid variety at the Casino in connection with the carnival being given all the week by the members of Wamsell lodge, No. 26, K. of P., and which attracted thousands of men, women and children, was a "Style Show," with fashion, lingerie, novelties in women's clothes, dresses, afternoon gowns, hats, canes and other fine furnishings exhibited on pretty living models by courtesy of the Chalfoux Co.

Louis Rochelleau, head of the ready-to-wear department of Chalfoux's, was in charge of the program that delighted all who watched the models parade up and down raised narrow platforms and enjoyed the novel spectacles. The models were not only attractive, but well trained.

Miss Mildred Harrington and Miss Catherine McConna were the pages in the show and the mannequins

**AUDITORIUM**  
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**KREISLER**  
In Violin Recital  
**CARL LAMSON**  
at the Piano  
SEATS AT CHALIFOUX'S.  
MAIL ORDERS FILLED  
Tickets—\$1.00, \$1.50, \$2, \$2.50 and tax

were Miss Norma McNamara, Miss Mildred Sprout, Mrs. Helen Pelech, Mrs. Olla Morrison and Mrs. Emma Surprenant.

Dancing was indulged in afterward. The midway was a great attraction as usual, and many new features have been added for the remainder of the week.

COURSE IN INTERIOR  
HOME DECORATION

Lowell housewives who wish to be thoroughly up-to-date are making the most of their opportunity to register for the course in "Interior Home Decoration," a series of six lectures, beginning next Friday, Jan. 19, at 7.15 o'clock and continuing for five consecutive Fridays. The Girls' City club is the place of meeting.

The course is offered by the division of university extension, Massachusetts department of education, and is free except for registration fee of \$2 per person, which covers cost of literature and materials. Miss Alice E. Sullivan of the Girls' City club is the local leader in charge. She will be very glad to receive registrations at once, either by mail or telephone. It is not necessary to be a member of the Girls' City club in order to join.

The course is exceedingly practical, and consists of six lectures as follows: Color and planning of color schemes; woodwork and wall treatment; floors and floor coverings; pictures, lighting fixtures and lamps; table covers, doilies, sofa pillows, bric-a-brac.

"These subjects will be studied with reference to their suitability, durability, cleanliness and artistic effect. The problems may easily be worked out by any woman in her own home. The course is designed to be of value to the housewife who is interested in means in helping her to better able to choose those things best suited to her needs which tend to comfort, beauty and economy in the home."

The state department has promised to send an unusually able lecturer for this Lowell group.

CAMP FIRE AND REUNION  
By Disabled Veterans

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ing and reception to the mayor, the boys who helped to win the war on many a French battlefield where thousands of their comrades today lie beneath concentrated soil, turned to recreation and entertainment of a top-notch flavor and spent the remainder of the evening fraternizing with Commander Donovan and many visiting war heroes, who thoroughly enjoyed the good things provided for the 1923 installation celebration.

Edward H. Sullivan, state treasurer of the D.A.V. of the W.W., was the installing officer. These comrades will have charge of the chapter's destinies for the coming year.

Commander, Ralph Dodge, senior vice-commander, Charles H. Slower, adjutant, Charles Henry McDermott, treasurer, William B. Lynch, chaplain, Walter E. Sanborn, member of state executive committee, William C. Gray, executive committee, George Courtois, Mayor John L. Donovan, Henry P. Kelly, Arthur L. Lyons, investigating committee, Arthur L. McNamara and William Broderick, hospital committee, Patrick J. Gray and Harry Sullivan, entertainment committee, John J. McCardle, chairman, and William Quinn.

The Retiring Commander

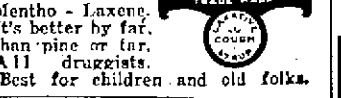
In his speech of farewell before turning over the reins of office to the new chapter commander, retiring Commander O'Sullivan paid high tribute to the members for their loyal and wholehearted support of all chapter activities during the past 15 months and declared that he had performed his duties to the very best of his ability with regard to the interests of both the members and Lowell chapter, which today stands at the head of any similar organization in New England. The retiring commander was given a victorious send-off that made the blushes come.

But another little celebration was in store for the modest retiring commander, whose energy, integrity, high standards of effort and personality combined have won him many commendations and much popularity all over New England for his devoted work in the interests of thousands of suffering, neglected and disabled war veterans. This time it was a handsome green-gold watch, full-jeweled, and containing, besides his initials, the following words engraved inside the golden case:

"To Comrade Harry F. O'Sullivan, for honorable and faithful service to our beloved comrades—From the boys."

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Millions buy it every year. Stops coughs and colds quickly. Contains no chloroform or narcotics. Soothing, penetrating, healing. Make a pint with sugar syrup, or take the pure essence. Essence Menth-o-Laxene. It's better by far than pine or tar. All druggists. Best for children and old folks.



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of Lowell Chapter No. 5, Disabled American Veterans of the World War.

In a most happy speech extending congratulations and best wishes and praising Comrade O'Sullivan for his untiring work for the boys who fought the good fight, Charles Henry McDermott, representing the chapter personnel formally presented the gold watch and prolonged applause.

The completely by surprise, warmly expressed his thanks for the splendid gift, and in tears explained that while he did not deserve the valued gift, in his opinion, he felt that if the chapter comrades responsible for the token of loyalty and faith appreciated what he had tried to do for their active commander, his cup of joy was full. The retiring leader admonished the boys to "keep on in front" in the future as in the past and promised them his support in all chapter activities to the very best of his ability.

Speech by the Mayor

More applause for Harry and the boys then gathered down front to formally extend the hand of good-fellowship to their beloved commander in arms, His Honor, Mayor Donovan.

The mayor was introduced as "Our Jack," and was perceptibly pleased with the favor of his greeting. He said in part:

"Comrades of the Disabled American Veterans of the World War:

"At the outset allow me to say that I surely give me the greatest of pleasures to be with you comrades here tonight. Looking around this hall I see many familiar faces, and in fact there are but a few here whom I do not know."

"When I received the postal card notifying me of this installation, I was amazed by the announcement that 'Gow' was to be served. That surely is like old times. I can remember when we tramped through the mud and rain 'over there,' that none of us cared whether they called it 'chow' or anything else. It was just something to eat with it, and I know all of you men felt the same about it."

"But to be serious, comrades. This organization of ours is a great thing for the disabled veterans. Your officers, during the past have worked hard for its success. I know personally that Commander Harry F. O'Sullivan has been a hard worker from morning until night. I could mention a host of others of this organization who have worked hard."

"I just ask you to be loyal to your officers at all times. Give them your support. They will need it in accomplishing things. With the united support of this organization many worthy things can be accomplished."

"As mayor of this city, I want to wish you all the success possible for you to have. As Commander O'Sullivan, I can assure you that our organization will have my support as a man and a comrade. As mayor, I will always be willing to aid you in the promotion of worthy movements by this organization."

Employment for Veterans

Mayor Donovan referred to the war veterans' anxious efforts to secure employment for the heroes unable to find work in Lowell. He promised to do everything possible to secure useful positions for them, but asked them to be patient. He referred to the list of numerous men already on the city payroll, some of whom had been placed there by a former administration contrary to the rules and regulations of the civil service, and said that in the future this would not happen while he was in the mayor's chair.

He paid his respects to the Lowell war veterans in all organizations and expressed his entire sympathy with their efforts to better themselves, promising his whole support whenever possible to find employment for veterans in need. The mayor's reference to employment conditions and his cordial expression of desire to help the heroes better themselves by securing regular employment in their home city, was received with an outburst of applause that lasted several minutes.

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In accepting his new duties, Commander Dodge, after paying cordial respects to Past Commander O'Sullivan, thanked his comrades for the honor extended to him, said he realized the immensity and responsibility of the duties ahead of him, and asked the members' close co-operation at all times.

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times and believed sincerely that he would receive it. The applause that followed his brief message made the new leader happy.

Buffet Lunch Served

After the initiation ceremonies and presentation, the meeting was thrown open to the entertainers, a buffet lunch was served and cigars distributed.

Among those who delighted the veterans with music, singing, etc., were William Quinn, pianist, member of old Company M, 101st regiment in the 26th fighting division; Comrade Kenney, vocal soloist; Michael Brennan, tenor soloist; Edward Lennon, with popular songs of the day, and others.

Features of the decorations last evening were displays of numerous flags, including a large silk American banner at the platform, and two magnificent baskets of cut flowers, one on each side of the speaker's rostrum, the gift of Florist John J. Moloney, a warm supporter and friend of Lowell chapter.

War Records of New Officers

The new officers of Lowell chapter all had notable service records in the great war. Commander Dodge saw hard service in a valiant combat division in France, was wounded in the American contingent, was wounded in the forehead and also in the chest by shrapnel, and also received a machine gun bullet in the campaign north of Chateau Thierry.

The new senior vice-commander was

with the 60th machine gun company, 15th United States division, also a part of the first contingent. He was badly wounded in the thigh and right leg in action, disabled and elated for showing exceptional gallantry under heavy fire. He was once cited by Lieut. Gen. Omar Bundy, who then commanded the Second United States Army.

The adjutant for 1923 installed last night was attached to the 101st Infantry of the old 26th division, saw service first on the Mexican border in 1915, and continued in service throughout the world war. He left the ranks a sergeant. He was formerly a member of old Lowell M. company, of the Ninth regiment, M.V.M.

The new chaplain served with distinction with the dandy 42d division, the right arm of the 26th division in the American forces, and was wounded in the Argentine during that big offensive when the "Yanks" swept all before them. His right arm was paralyzed by shrapnel wounds, and today he still carries three German machine gun bullets in his right breast.

The chapter's treasurer for 1923 is an old regular army "vet" in both, and remembers the mid-tide days when he was pretty close to Major General Edwards for the first time, only the "M.J." was simply a major in those days, down around the Panama canal zone during the years 1912-13. He continued in service and saw hard fighting throughout the World war, attached to the combat division of a popular fighting army corps.

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**Announcement**

**LOWELL MUSICIANS ASSOCIATION**  
LOCAL 83

Owing to the many inquiries about Lowell Union Musicians being employed in Merrimack Square Theatre, the undersigned wish to announce that members of Local 83 are NOT employed at the Merrimack Square Theatre at the present time.

T. F. MCCARTHY, Pres.  
JOHN F. MORAN, Sec.-Treas.

# PROHIBITION AUTHORITIES IN NEW STOCK MARKET

## DRIVE TO HALT LIQUOR TRAFFIC

### Drastic Curtailment of Dealings in Denatured and Industrial Alcohol Decided Upon—Revocation of Scores of Permits, Including One Issued to One of Largest Alcohol Producing Plants in Country

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17. (By the Associated Press.)—Drastic curtailment of dealings in denatured and industrial alcohol has been decided upon by federal prohibition authorities as the next step in their campaign to combat the illicit liquor traffic. Orders have been issued for the revocation of scores of denatured permits, among these being that issued to one of the largest alcohol producing plants in the country. Decision to withdraw the license of this plant and to refuse to renew permits for which applications are pending, was reached at a conference of prohibition enforcement officials attended by Acting Commissioner of Customs, Arthur S. Brown, and representatives of New York and Maine, the principal bureaus at headquarters here. It is understood that reports submitted by Mr. Brown of his investigation into the Christmas beverages had much to do with the decision.

Mr. Brown is known to have received evidence which convinced him that the great bulk of this supply was of domestic manufacture with illegally denatured alcohol used as a base. Much of the alcohol was being produced in the state of New York, and has been traced from such sources as the New York State distillery at Buffalo, and the New York State distillery at Albany. The New York State distillery at Albany is the largest of its kind in the country. The New York State distillery at Albany is the largest of its kind in the country.

## New Dry Enforcement Director on Job

BOSTON, Jan. 17.—Albert J. Lynch, formerly with the internal revenue service at Washington, assumed today the duties of field director of prohibition enforcement agents in this state. His predecessor, James P. Roberts, has been transferred to the income tax department. Frequent trips to various parts of the state are planned by the new director to keep him in close touch with the dry field forces, he said.

In his last statement as field director, Mr. Roberts today estimated that there were about 500 and 10,000 bootleggers in Massachusetts. Since he assumed office on January 1, 1922, he said, his office had received 1111 violations in which 2000 persons were involved. The destruction of moonshine and other liquors of alcoholic content amounted to hundreds of thousands of gallons.

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## To Protect Public From Poison Whiskey

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—(By the Associated Press.)—To protect the public from poisonous whiskey bought at drug stores on prescriptions, the government has decided to bottle all bulk liquors now held in bond and to guarantee them as to proof and quality.

## 150 Forced to Flee During Fire in Chicago

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—Nearly 150 persons were driven from their apartments today when fire attacked three buildings on Michigan avenue at the northern end of Automobile Row. The blaze spread from one building to another adjoining and then leaped a 20-foot vacant lot to the rear of a 24-apartment building. Considerable property damage resulted but no one was injured.

## PARLEY AT DEADLOCK HEARD IN EVERY STATE

British Delegates Now Here to Return to London for Conference

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—(By the Associated Press.)—The British and American debt commissions have reached a point in their negotiations where it virtually is agreed on further progress can be made until the British commissioners have returned to London and conferred with their government.

## FEARS EXPRESSED FOR 35,000 REFUGEES

ATHENS, Jan. 15.—(By the Associated Press.)—The Greek government has decided to admit no more refugees to the country unless private relief agencies provide for them. In view of the fact that the country is now crowded with refugees, the government estimates would require the expenditure of \$1,000,000.

## RUM SHIPS MUST OBEY REGULATIONS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—The Admiralty has issued orders that rum-running ships must obey regulations of the United States coast guard. The orders are in effect immediately.

## MACKENZIE TAKES ORAL EXAMINATION

COLLIER, N. H. Mackenzie, temporary custodian of Memorial Auditorium, has taken an oral examination in the position of assistant manager of the city of Concord, N. H. The examination was held at the city of Concord, N. H.

## DEMOCRATS ELECTED

CONCORD, N. H., Jan. 17.—Edna K. Sawyer of Franklin, Democrat, was today elected secretary of state by the voters in the town of Concord, N. H. The election was held at the city of Concord, N. H.

## UPWARD TENDENCY

CAMBRIDGE, Jan. 17.—Commodity prices during the first half of the present year are expected to advance, with a strong probability that the upward trend will prevail for the remainder of the year. The Harvard economic service said today in its weekly letter.

# PERPETUAL CARE OF LOTS FIRE WRECKS SCHOOL

## City Treasurer's Annual Report Shows Big Increase in Special Funds

### Main Building of Bristol County Agricultural School at Dighton Destroyed

TAUNTON, Jan. 17.—The main school building of the Bristol County Agricultural School at Dighton was destroyed by fire this morning. The building, a brick structure built in 1915, was valued at \$35,000 and the furniture and equipment at \$15,000, both being insured.

The fire was discovered at 1:30 a.m. by students going from the rooms in nearby farmhouses to attend the livestock. They gave the alarm, and the fire was quickly extinguished. The school is supported by the county, which will probably rebuild. There are about 70 pupils enrolled.

## IMPORTANT MEETINGS HERE TOMORROW

Two conferences of vital importance to the city will be held at city hall tomorrow afternoon, one on the matter of confederating the proposition to install a new fire alarm system, and the other, relative to the employment of labor by city departments according to civil service rules and regulations.

## EXPLAINS EXPULSION OF APOSTOLIC DELEGATE

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 17.—(By the Associated Press.) Foreign Secretary Padierna has explained the expulsion of the apostolic delegate, Monsignor Obregon, from Mexico for participating in an alleged illegal religious ceremony.

## SHORTAGE OF EQUIPMENT HAMPERS RAILROADS

BOSTON, Jan. 17.—Shortage of locomotives and cars caused by the severity of the winter has hampered the shipment of freight out of Boston, the Boston & Maine, the New York, New Haven & Hartford, and the Boston & Albany railroads, officials of all three roads said today.

## CHARTS OF MISSING STEAMER FOUND

DIGBY, N. S., Jan. 17.—A roll of charts believed to be those of the missing steamer, the *Albatross*, has been picked up by fishermen at Digby, Nova Scotia, according to reports received today.

## ARMISTICE AT MEMEL

LONDON, Jan. 17.—The armistice agreed upon at Memel has been put into effect and negotiations are in progress between the insurgents and the Lithuanians in order to avoid further bloodshed.

## FLOOD OF R.R. LETTERS

WOUNSBURY, Conn., Jan. 17.—Ten more letters, elaborately decorated with K.K.K. on the exterior of the envelopes and bearing the name of the Ku Klux Klan, were received today. Similar letters were received Saturday.

## ATTACKS CONTINUE

DUBLIN, Jan. 17.—(By the Associated Press.) Attacks by republicans on the railways continued today. Considerable destruction is reported to have resulted from raids on the West Coast railway. Several stations have been burned and the track has been torn up and the rolling stock destroyed.

## TO PROBE KU KLUX KLAN

LANSING, Mich., Jan. 17.—An investigation into the activities of the Ku Klux Klan in Michigan is being conducted by a resolution prepared for introduction in the lower house of the state legislature today by Representative James A. Burns of Detroit.

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# ST. MARIE'S CHURCH FULLER CASE

## Lieutenant Governor Protests Verdict of \$1 Awarded to Warner

### Full Bench Hears Arguments on Exceptions Taken by Fuller

BOSTON, Jan. 17.—The full bench of the supreme court today heard arguments on exceptions taken by Lieutenant Governor Allan V. Fuller to a verdict of \$1 returned against him in the \$100,000 suit for slander of Joseph E. Warner, formerly speaker of the Massachusetts house of representatives. The case was argued in the supreme court, resulting in a disagreement of the jury after it had deliberated for 23 hours, and Judge Nelson D. Brown directed the verdict of \$1 for Warner.

## ABOLITION OF SINKING FUND COMMISSION

In four more years, or in 1926, the sinking fund commission for the city of Lowell, composed of Austin L. Chadwick, Frank P. McGilley, Charles L. Warren and City Treasurer Fred L. Hunkle, will cease to function and automatically go out of existence, in accordance with the provisions of the state legislation passed in 1913 providing for the abolition of the sinking fund commissions when all loans under its control reached maturity.

## OFFICERS ELECTED FOR ENSUING YEAR

At a largely attended meeting of members of the Pawtucketville Social club, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Pierre Lablane, president; Arthur Baron, first vice president; George Rivard, second vice president; Arthur N. Boulais, secretary; George Rivard, treasurer; Joseph Gauthier, marshal; Oliver Poirer, Joseph Sawyer and Albert T. Gauthier, auditors; Alphonse Bolduc, representative to the executive council; Dr. L. S. LeBlond, physician. The installation will be jointly with that of the officers of the other branches of the A.C.F. at Liberty hall, Auditorium, on the afternoon of Sunday, February 4.

## HUNDREDS SEE VISION IN PROVIDENCE CHURCH

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Jan. 17.—Members of the Congregational Church of the Blessed Sacrament, this church were startled last night to witness what appeared to be an image of the Virgin Mary standing in the balcony over the choir entrance to the church. Hundreds of people from various parts of the city, hearing of the vision, visited the church to witness it.

## BOGDONOFF CASE WILL OPEN MONDAY

The trial of the three Bogdonoff brothers, against whom charges of arson were returned by a Middlesex county grand jury in connection with simultaneous fires in stores of the Dept. Cash Market Co. last year, and which will begin in the superior court in East Cambridge next Monday, is likely to consume several days, according to counsel for the defendants.

## TO BE PENALIZED IF THEY STRIKE

LYNN, Jan. 17.—The nine affiliated unions of the United Shoe Workers of America were notified today that members would be penalized in the future if they joined a strike not sanctioned by the joint council.

## COMB SAGE TEA IN HAIR TO DARKEN IT

It's Grandmother's Recipe To Keep Her Locks Dark, Glossy, Beautiful

The old-time mixture of Sage Tea and Sulphur for darkening gray, streaked and faded hair, grandmother's recipe, and folks are beginning to keep their hair a good, even color, which is quite sensible, as we are living in an age when youthful appearance is of the greatest advantage.

## BON MARCHE DANCE IN AUDITORIUM

The sixteenth annual dance of the Employers Mutual Benefit association of the Bon Marche will be held in the Municipal Auditorium tonight, and as this party is recognized as one of the best social functions of the year, it is a certainty that a large crowd will be on hand. Dancing will begin at 8:15 and continue until midnight.



REV. JOSEPH E. DENIS, O.M.I.





# THEY DINED AND DANCED CONDEMN KU KLUX KLAN

Telephone Operators and  
Workers Have Big Time in  
Elks' Hall

Success perched on the banners of the Telephone Operators' union No. 11, I.B.P.W. and the local Telephone Workers' local No. 8, last evening in Elks' hall, Middle street, when a joint dinner and dance were conducted for many members and guests. Among those who partook of the delightful hospitality of the telephone workers was Miss C. J. Leathers, of the local "W.P.A." district, and who greatly enjoyed the evening's program provided.

The hall was handsomely decorated for the event. Preceding the dinner there was given an entertaining program of vocal selections and humorous recitations. Thomas B. Delaney of local 1 extended good wishes to all present and compliments of the day to Messrs. Leathers, too.

William F. Sadler was master of ceremonies for the evening.

The program included vocal selections by Raymond Kelley, one of the Y.M.C.A. minstrel stars; Miss Grace Crowley gave readings and Miss Grace Moran sang. The soprano solos by Miss Catherine Leathers were also well received. Frank Kelley shone in recitations, and then Jack McArthur and the Dion sisters danced all the latest steps.

Harry Cole and his corps of assistants served an appetizing dinner, while the orchestra played popular airs. Dancing followed.

Among those present at the guest tables last evening were Manager C. J. Leathers; Charles F. Grover, district manager; B. J. Mahoney, district plant chief; Frank Watson, district traffic chief; Frank Healy, district account chief; Miss Nellie Snow, chief operator; William McArthur, district foreman; and Wilfred Johnson, who chief.

The success of last night's affair is due to the untiring efforts and organizing prowess of the committee as follows: Charles B. Rogers, chairman; assisted by Miss Helen Moran, Anna McQuade, Gertrude O'Connor, Catherine Butler, Joseph McGirr, Patrick McDougall, Edward Quinn and William Sadler.

Mass. House of Representatives  
Unanimously Adopts  
Resolution

(Special to The Sun)  
STATE HOUSE, Boston, Jan. 17.—The house of representatives yesterday unanimously adopted the resolution reported by the committee on rules condemning the Ku Klux Klan. House leaders confidently declared that it would satisfy the most ardent anti-Klanite and would likewise serve as a warning to any Ku Klux supporter that the Massachusetts legislature will not tolerate the existence of such an organization.

Following two eloquent speeches by Rep. Victor A. Dwell of Lowell, republican "whip" in the house, and Rep. Andrew P. Doyle of New Bedford, also one of the republican leaders in the lower body, the house, with 211 members voting in the affirmative and none in the negative, adopted the resolution.

The resolution you have reported reads: "Whereas, in various portions of the country various acts of violence have been committed by persons reported to be members of an organization known as the Ku Klux Klan; and whereas, these have been expressions of that said organization and its activities to this commonwealth to the danger of the lives and property of our citizens; therefore be it

"Resolved, that the house of representatives regards any such organization as a danger to American institutions; as a threat to that freedom of thought and speech guaranteed to the American people by the constitution of the United States; and as an attempt to overthrow organized government; and be it further

"Resolved, that we have complete confidence that said organization can obtain no foothold among law-abiding people of Massachusetts; that our public officials will be diligent to protect all our citizens in their constitutional rights; and that the commonwealth will maintain its traditions of ordered liberty under the constitution."

Being purely a house matter, the resolution will not come up for action in the senate.

## CHELMSFORD POST INSTALLS OFFICERS

The joint installation of the officers of Chelmsford post, 212, American Legion, and the Ladies' Auxiliary took place recently, the installing officers being J. Henry Gilbride and Mrs. Nellie Merritt, both of this city. The officers inducted into the office are as follows:

Chelmsford post—John H. Valentine, commander; John H. Johnson, vice-commander; John Buchanan, adjutant; E. Clifton Lakin, financial officer; Harold Dodge, chaplain; and Fred Russell, sergeant-at-arms.

Auxiliary—Mrs. Elizabeth Miner, president; Mrs. Marion Johnson, secretary; Mrs. Dorothy Russell, vice-president; Mrs. Edith Sargent, treasurer; Mrs. Mary Dodge, chaplain; Mrs. Madeline A. Adams, historical; Grace Cummings; Mrs. Elizabeth Robinson; Mrs. Gertrude Pienard, executive committee; Misses Anna Cummings and Bernadette Chisholm, collectors; Miss Ethel North, door guard; Miss Josephine McQuaney, press correspondent. At the close of the installation a banquet was held.

## LECTURE IN WOOD'S BUSINESS COLLEGE

The first of the series of lectures was held last night at Wood's Business college, the speaker being Mr. R. Mc Masters, Boston manager of the Gregg Publishing company.

An audience which taxed the capacity of the large schoolroom was in attendance.

Mr. Masters' subject was an unusual one, and demonstrated very clearly the difficulties which the stenographer must overcome, and the different traits which made success sure. He emphasized that good hard work, coupled with intelligent action, resourcefulness and endurance are ultimately bound to win recognition in the business world.

The second lecture of the series will be held on Friday evening of this week, with Mr. J. J. Cooney, manager of the Lowell Gas Appliance store, as speaker. His subject will be "Reaching and Teaching the Public."

These lectures are free, and open to the public.

## ADVERTISING CLUB EXECUTIVES MEET

The executive committee of the New England Association of Advertising clubs held its monthly meeting at the chamber of commerce rooms this afternoon.

The meeting consisted of the presidents of the different advertising clubs throughout the district. The committee will be the guests of the Lowell Advertising club at their first annual meeting at the Girls' City club this evening at 8 o'clock.

# THE Royal ELECTRIC CLEANER

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THE PAPER HANGER WHO IS WORKING AT AUNT SARAH PEABODY'S COTTAGE DIDN'T SIT IN HER NEW RED PLUSH ROCKING CHAIR VERY LONG TODAY

## MOVE AGAINST IRREGULARS

Fighting in Blessington, Ireland — Many Casualties Said to Have Occurred

Considerable Firing Heard in Hills—Military Headquarters Reticent

DUBLIN, Jan. 17. (By the Associated Press).—The public was awaiting today authoritative information regarding military operations against irregulars reported in progress in the Wicklow hills.

This mountainous country has been the resort of hundreds of republicans for several months and it is stated that a thousand or more national troops, equipped with artillery are trying to round up these irregular bands.

Fighting was reported in the neighborhood of Blessington yesterday in which a number of casualties are said to have occurred. Considerable firing has been heard in the hills, but the extent of the Free State operations is unknown. Military headquarters refuse either to confirm or deny the current reports.

## HIBERNIAN CARNIVAL

Second Night of Grand Carnival at Associate Hall Was Big Success

With all the grandeur and attendant features of a miniature world, the second night of the monster Hibernian carnival was held in Associate hall last evening and the six novelty tables, equally distributed around the richly decorated hall, showed increasing signs of prosperity in the disposition of valuable novelties and merchandise.

Last night's attendance was greatly in excess of the opening night and proved gratifying to the energetic members of the various committees. The evening's activities got under way shortly after 8 o'clock when General Chairman James J. McManis welcomed the gathering in appropriate terms and announced the program. The entertainment was given under the auspices of the Ladies' auxiliary, Miss Catherine Gaffney, president, and consisted of pleasing instrumental selections by the talented George Trio, Margaret and John, soloists Mrs. Nora Reagan Longtin and Catherine Mahoney, and readings by Margaret Mahoney and Miss Kegan.

General dancing occupied the next place on the program and continued until midnight, after which the orchestra furnished the music. Several Irish airs were played and danced to during the evening as well as the popular American hits. Variety being the spice of life, numerous specialty numbers have been arranged for this evening. It being the intention of the committee in charge to provide new features on each of the succeeding nights. Division 11 will be responsible for the elaborate program on this, the third evening of the affair. Tomorrow night Division 11 will do the honors.

It is requested that holders of season tickets return their coupons to the various secretaries as soon as possible, that their names may be considered for the \$150 worth of prizes offered to holders of lucky numbers. The carnival will close tomorrow night.

## FOR SETTLEMENT OF WAR DEBT

American Debt Commission Frankly Outlined Views to British Mission

Not to Assent to Any Plan Which Could Not Receive Approval of Congress

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—The American debt commission has frankly told the British mission, according to information today at the treasury, that it could not assent to any plan of settlement of Great Britain's war debt which could not be expected to receive the approval of congress at this session.

In view of the determination of President Harding not to call an extra session of the new congress, the whole question of a settlement of the British debt would have to be held in abeyance until next year if this congress failed to ratify an arrangement that might be entered into at this time.

It was argued that during that time conditions affecting the financing arrangement might be so changed as to require the negotiation of a new settlement.

While both the British and Americans still were hopeful today that an agreement in principle would be reached by the present negotiations, they plainly were not optimistic on this point as they had been. Conversations between the commission and the British mission awaited further instructions from London regarding terms.

## Observance of Franklin's Birthday and Thrift Week

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other literature explaining the Franklin idea of thrift and telling how to save money, with suggestions for using the United States postal savings depositories or buying treasury savings certificates.

The postal employees of the city responded loyally and as a result of the plan of campaign, thousands of mail vans and trucks, and even the rural delivery Fords and punks, were plastered with large colored posters, asking Lowell people to open postal savings accounts and be happy.

Postoffice corridors and the restrooms of the city were also placed in the plan of campaign. Thousands of leaflets were given away. There were little stickers also for the mail depositories who wanted them, and many were distributed before noon.

Thousands of blue-tipped little stars, size of ordinary envelopes, were distributed to Lowell business men and all citizens who desired them. The stars read as follows:

"Thrift is the power to save."

"Open a postal savings account today."

"Accounts may be transferred between postoffices without cost or loss of interest."

"One dollar opens an account depositing up to \$2500. Always payable on demand."

"The United States government guarantees postal savings deposits. Call on your postmaster for further information."

"Saving creates independence. Waste not—want not. Save and have."

A sample of thrift, issued by thrift club boosters today, follows:

One War Veteran's Record

Capt. James W. English, who started with \$10 after the Civil war and worked his way up until, at 53, he is a millionaire head of a chain of lending banks. He said he kept the post-war days would be "rough," so he saved "every cent." Soon the money placed in good banks began to grow until it reached a substantial sum. Thrift, he said, taught him not only to be saving of funds, but it taught him business judgment and that judgment enabled him to make progress along successful planes.

Lowell printers have made no formal plans for celebrating the Franklin anniversary, but two of Lowell's oldest printers—Charles Oliver Burgess and Ephraim Livingston—who began learning type in wooden cases way back in Civil war times, will meet tonight in fellowship of two at Page's restaurant, and partake of a celebration dinner.

## EX-POLICEMEN SHOT BY CHIEF

Former Officer and Companion Resisted Arrest After Disrobing Klansmen

Chief After Firing Shot Was Set Upon by Crowd and Beaten

DAYTONA, Fla., Jan. 17.—Charles Pent, a former policeman, was shot through the arm by Police Chief Jos. Osborne last night, when Pent and a companion resisted arrest after disrobing two of a band of approximately 200 klansmen who were parading.

Pent and his companion, it was said, leaped from an automobile and seized the klansmen, disrobing them. The klansmen ran into the crowd that lined the streets and their identity was not ascertained.

Chief Osborne was set upon by the crowd and beaten. The other klansmen did not offer to help their comrades. It was said.

## OFFICERS ELECTED FOR ENSUING YEAR

At the primary election for directors in the chamber of commerce, which was completed last night, the following candidates were nominated: Freeman M. Hill, E. C. Curney, A. C. Chisholm, Fred Church, St. Royal K. Dexter, Edward Fisher, Herford Elliott E. J. Gilmore, C. D. A. Grasse, Charles Holman, John Hunsanewell, Robert F. Marden, Charles L. Murren, Albert D. Milliken, Benjamin Pouzner, Harry Toller, Perry D. Thompson and Daniel L. Walker.

Ballots for the election will be mailed tomorrow and the election will close at 6 p. m. Tuesday, Jan. 23. Of the 18 nominated nine are to be elected.

## BAR ASSOCIATION TO HONOR MEMBER

Members of the Lowell Bar association are to tender a complimentary banquet next week to General Gardner W. Dearborn in honor of his appointment as first assistant district attorney of Middlesex county. Plans are now being made by a committee, of which Joseph P. Donahue is chairman. The entertainment will be in the hands of Charles A. Donahue, who promises a pleasing program. A definite date has not been settled upon as yet, but it is probable that the affair will take place next Thursday evening.

Mr. Barnes is the oldest printer in local De Vigne, Cheltenham and Gothic circles, and thanks the Lord that he never had to learn to run a Mergenthaler with its dodads and funny fixtures. He is still a pressman now for the Ayer company, starting work for the same concern on August 12, 1855.

Mr. Livingston has retired, but his health is good and his Benjamin Franklin dinner appetite O. K.

## ROYAL ARCANUM

Lowell Council, No. 8  
INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS  
Thursday Night, Jan. 18

By Joseph T. Brennan and suite of Boston, at 8 o'clock. All members invited. Luncheon will be served.

FRANK S. MARSHALL, Regent.  
JOHN S. JACKSON, Secretary.

## DON'T FORGET

The Lawrence Y.W.H.A. Informal Dance at Waples' Hall  
HANDLESLEY'S ORCHESTRA WILL STRIKE MUSIC  
If you are looking for a good time be sure to attend.

# INJUNCTION IS REFUSED CAMPBELL'S DRUG STORE

Superior Court Rules in Connection With Local Greek Community Case

Judge Hall, of the superior court, refused yesterday to grant an injunction to restrain the faction of the Holy Trinity Greek church headed by Constantine Vargaropoulos, from seceding and establishing an independent church and also from using the church property, as petitioned for by Apostolos A. Johnson, deposed president of the local Greek community. This action was taken by Judge Hall at a hearing held at the superior court in East Cambridge after an agreement had been reached by counsel representing both parties. The court later announced that an auditor will be appointed to hear evidence in the case and the date of the hearing will be set later.

The stipulations agreed by counsel for both parties are as follows:

That pending the determination of this suit or until the further action of the court:

1.—No further action will be taken by the defendants or any of them toward or in respect of any of the acts sought to be restrained in the first prayer of the bill. (Change of Name.)

2.—The defendants or any of them shall not take any step toward preventing the plaintiffs worshipping in the church building or using same for church purposes.

At request the control of the property and money of the corporation the following agreement is hereby made: That all moneys collected from any source hereafter and all moneys now on hand belonging to the corporation shall be collected by James Kirkland and accounted for by him to Emanuel G. Sophos; and said Kirkland and Sophos shall turn over said moneys to William A. Hogan and Edward J. Tierney, attorneys respectively for plaintiffs and defendants, and by them to be deposited in the Lowell Trust Co. of Lowell and then held subject to check and disbursement to be made by said Hogan and Tierney for the necessary expenses of the corporation absolutely in their judgment and discretion.

3.—The property of the corporation shall be maintained and the school and other institutions of the corporation shall be maintained and kept in running order and the church shall be open to the use of all Greeks wishing to worship therein. The hours of worship to be hereafter agreed upon or to be subject to further order of the court.

4.—That the injunction or restraining order heretofore issued against the Lowell Trust Co. be dissolved and the funds of the corporation now in said Lowell Trust Co. be withdrawn upon and be subject to the joint check of William A. Hogan and Edward J. Tierney as heretofore agreed upon.

This court action is the result of a recent break in the local community, when over 400 voters of the community, members of the Holy Trinity Greek Church, voted to secede from the Holy Synod of Athens and the Patriarchate of Constantinople and later voted to depose from office President Apostolos A. Johnson, and elected Constantine Vargaropoulos to the presidency.

Bridgewater Man Buys Stock and Fixtures at Public Auction

The stock and fixtures of Campbell's drug store at 223 Central street were sold to E. N. Lord of Bridgewater at a public auction conducted on the premises this morning by Auctioneer Walter E. Ghyette, who was acting under orders of the assignee, George A. Streeter of Boston.

The sale was attended by about 15 men and only two of them showed any interest in the bidding. Prior to the sale the auctioneer announced that 10 per cent of the purchase price must be paid to the auctioneer immediately after the sale, the balance to be paid in 24 hours. He also stated that the goods could be allowed to remain in the store, but the purchaser would have to pay rent at the rate of \$10 a day.

The stock was first sold and the first bid submitted was \$800. This amount was gradually increased by \$50 and \$100 until it reached \$1050, when it was struck off to Mr. Lord. The fixtures were then offered to the highest bidder and the first bid was \$500. This was increased to \$800, and this sale was made to Mr. Lord.

The purchaser, when seen by The Sun later stated that he is contemplating continuing the business at its present stand. Mr. Lord owns a drug store at Bridgewater.

## CASES IN THE DISTRICT COURT

In the district court this morning, John Kosak admitted that he "just drank a pint of moonshine Saturday, that's all." His wife testified that there was more than that to it and substantiated her statement by exhibiting a black eye, which she alleged, resulted from forcible contact with her husband's clenched fist. John was, therefore, found guilty of drunkenness, and received a sentence of five months to the house of correction, suspended for one year.

Germaine Quillette pleaded not guilty to being a common drunkard, and the case was continued until January 21.

An assault and battery charge against Mike Sokal was continued until January 20, bonds being fixed at \$200. A similar charge against John Znoj, was continued to January 25.

Charles Hebert, charged with illegal keeping, and was granted a continuance to January 27. Bonds of \$300 were furnished.

Ernest and Omer Desmarais, for assault and battery, were released in bonds of \$200 each for their appearance on Jan. 24.

## SUN BREVITIES

Catering the best—Lyon, Tel. 4931.  
Best printing, Tobin's, Associate bldg.  
Fire and liability insurance, Daniel J. O'Brien, Wyman's exchange.  
Medium Brown Hair looks best of all after a Golden Glow Shampoo.  
Lamps—If it's a lamp, we have it. Electric Shop, 62 Central street.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. Henry Collins of the New England Electrical Supply company of this city, left for New York city yesterday, to purchase portable electric lamps and other electrical supplies.

# SUGAR, 10 lbs. 59c

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## FLOUR SALE—BUY NOW!

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BEN HUR FLOUR.....\$1.03  
BRIDAL VEIL FLOUR.....\$1.19

Fancy No. 1 SMELTS Lb. .... 21c  
OYSTERS For Stewing Pint ... 29c  
TINKER MACKEREL 5 for... 25c

Tender Juicy Steak TOP ROUND lb. 25c  
VEIN, SIRLOIN

WINTER LAMB FOREQUARTERS, lb. .... 15c

Special Combination Sale

1 LB HEAVY FAT BACK PORK ..... 31c  
2 LBS. SELECTED PEA BEANS—Both for.....

Green Mountain POTATOES, 25c  
Sweet, Juicy ORANGES, large size, doz. 49c

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Products From Our Sanitary Sunlight Bakery  
COFFEE BUNS, dozen ..... 12c

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